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Nazis Badly Hit In Caucasus

MOSCOW (AP)—The Russians announced tonight that the Germans had suffered "a severe defeat" at the town of Ordzhonikidze, which lies strategically at the top of the important Georgian military highway running southward through the Caucasian Mountains.

Pound Nazi Railroads

LONDON (CP)—R.A.F. fighters conducted offensive patrols today which ranged from Normandy to Holland and attacked and damaged a number of railway engines, freight trains, barges, trucks and a small supply ship, it was stated authoritatively to night.

Nazis in Tunisia Want French Out

LONDON (CP)—The German commander in Tunisia has presented an ultimatum to Gen. Barre, commanding the French forces there, ordering him to evacuate Tunisian territory or join the Axis, the Morocco radio reported tonight.

Expects Settlement

PRINCETON, B.C. (CP)—W. D. Seaman, manager of the Princeton-Tulameen Coal Company, said today on his return from union-management conferences at Vancouver that he felt sure the discussions had led to a settlement of a dispute which has resulted in a walkout of miners in three collieries here. He said he expected agreements would be signed today or tomorrow.

No Willkie Welcome Till Talk Approved

TORONTO (CP)—Toronto Board of Control this afternoon decided not to approve plans for a civic reception for Wendell Willkie next Wednesday until information is received as to what Willkie will say in a speech he is to make here in support of the Friends for Russia Movement.

"Toronto is not the place for disparaging words to go forth regarding the British Empire," said Mayor Fred Conroy.

2 B.C. Men Prisoners

OTTAWA (CP)—In the 206th Canadian Active Army casualty list of the war, containing the names of 73 men previously reported missing in the Dieppe battle and now reported as prisoners of war the following B.C. man appeared:

CANADIAN ARMORED CORPS

Sgt. William Henderson Ross, next of kin wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Ross, Port Alberni.

Hold 12,000 Aliens

NEW YORK (AP)—Federal Bureau of Investigation agents have taken into custody nearly 12,000 enemy aliens, P. E. Foxworth, F.B.I. chief here, disclosed today.

Weygand Arrested, Later Released

LONDON (CP)—Gen. Maxime Weygand was reported by a Fighting French source tonight to have been arrested by the Gestapo after the Nazi march into erstwhile unoccupied France, but to have been freed 24 hours later.

The informant was Leon Morandat, prominent French trade unionist who joined the De Gaulleists here after witnessing the German crossing of the former demarcation line.

Urge 3 Years' Pay

EDMONTON (CP)—Premier Aberhart of Alberta, in statement issued today, suggested that on demobilization, persons who have served in the armed forces or the merchant marine, continue to receive service full pay, including subsistence allowances, for not less than three years after the war and until they have been re-established in civil life. After the three years the returned men should receive a monthly income from the state, irrespective of any income they may earn."

5 More Jap Warships Sunk By U.S.

MacNamara Named to Head Selective Service

OTTAWA (CP)—Labor Minister Mitchell announced today that Arthur MacNamara, associate deputy Minister of Labor, will take over immediate "supervision" of the National Selective Service.

At a press conference later in the day Mr. MacNamara outlined a four-point program which he said was his interpretation of a "definite manpower policy" now being followed by the government.

His program:

1. Men required for the armed forces are to be supplied.

2. The needs of war plants are to be met with manpower and womanpower; and, to the extent necessary, less essential industries are to be curtailed.

3. Voluntary effort is to be used where possible.

4. When the voluntary system falls down, "which it has not yet," the compulsory system will have to be used.

Moscow Also Says Russians on Attack

MOSCOW (AP)—Extending their job of bleeding and blocking the German armies, the Russians have taken the initiative in Stalingrad and in the Caucasus, today's battle reports showed.

The midday communiqué reported no major changes anywhere, but said that during the night "our troops launched active operations and captured several enemy fortifications" in southern Stalingrad.

A Red army unit also was credited with a fighting reconnaissance northwest of the city in which enemy trenches were broken into, 60 Germans killed and others captured.

In a factory area of the Volga stronghold, wrapped for two days in fog, the Germans returned to the attack during the night, but were driven back with 200 killed.

Soviet troops also were reported in active operations which scored some advance northeast of Tula along the Black Sea coast in the western Caucasus while 300 of the enemy were said to have been killed in an artillery-supported infantry attack southeast of Nalchik in the mid-Caucasus.

The defenders also struck out in the factory area at Stalingrad Wednesday, occupied several invaders strongpoints and killed 600, the Soviet midnight communiqué said.

44 Asylum Deaths May Be Due To Poison Plot

SALEM, Ore. (AP)—Forty-four insane inmates of the Oregon State Hospital are dead, stricken by an unidentified poison, and a corps of physicians struggled today to save the lives of more than 400 other men and women.

The deaths were blamed on scrambled eggs served at dinner Wednesday night, but bacteriologists this afternoon could not say positively the poison had originated in the eggs themselves. Six of the dead were women.

Dr. Frank R. Menne, of the pathology staff of the University of Oregon Medical School at Portland said after an examination that the fatal substance might have been in some ingredient in which the eggs were cooked.

NOW ON GUARD

Dr. J. C. Evans, hospital superintendent, expressed anxiety over the possibility of deliberate poisoning in the kitchen. He feared another attempt.

"Some patients who have fough privileges could have slipped some poison into the food," he said.

"On the other hand," he continued, "since many such eggs are shipped to the army, there is the possibility that some saboteur poisoned a can."

"No," replied Mead. "That man in my opinion has been of great assistance to the government of Canada. It would have taken more than I have heard at this inquiry to persuade me he should be interned."

GAVE MUCH AID

C. H. Locke, K.C., counsel for the R.C.M.P. and the Security Commission, asked Mead if "from what you have heard," he would recommend internment of Moril, who assisted the commission in evacuating Japanese from the B.C. coast and whose name the News-Herald linked with its charges.

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Egypt to Help Set Terms

CAIRO (AP)—King Farouk said in a throne speech at the opening of a new session of Parliament today that Egypt, non-belligerent ally of the United Nations, has requested and received a promise of representation in any peace conferences to be held after the war.

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Germans Admit Initiative Seized By Russians

NEW YORK (AP)—The German high command said today the resurgent Red Army has gone from defensive warfare to violent new attacks in the Caucasus, along the Don, south of Leningrad and on the Rybach Peninsula at the northernmost end of the Russian-Finnish frontier.

The Berlin radio broadcast of the communiqué from Hitler's headquarters, heard here today, claimed the attacks had been repulsed, but suggested they might be the prelude for a new winter comeback drive by the Soviet army.

The only advantage the Germans claimed was in the Tuapse sector along the Black Sea coast of the Caucasus, where the communiqué said a Russian force had been cut off and destroyed, and in the air war, in which heavy losses were claimed to have been inflicted on the Russians by German and Rumanian fighters and bombers.

The advance placed the British van in the region of Antelat, close to the high-water mark of the first westward drive across Libya, and indicated that at least one of the 8th Army had bypassed Bengasi and was threatening the only avenue of land escape for any holdout garrison Rommel might leave in the port.

When heavy bombers raided Bengasi at dusk Wednesday several fires were seen in the target area, suggesting the Axis was beginning demolition in the last good harbor left to it east of Tripoli.

2 Burning Wrecks In Harbor's Mouth

At the harbor mouth two burning wrecks lay apparently abandoned. They looked to the fliers as if Rommel might be trying to block the channel.

The weight of the main Allied air effort was against enemy transport planes flying south from Bengasi toward the El Agheila region, where Rommel may try to make a stand. The area commands a bottleneck between the Gulf of Sirta and salt marshes 400 miles east of Tripoli.

Seven JU-52 transport planes were shot down by Allied fighters, three others were destroyed on the ground and at least another 20 transport-type planes were damaged on the ground.

Allied fighters also bounded road transport around the bend of the Gulf of Sirta, causing considerable damage while Axis air forces made only feeble resistance.

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Leaping ahead of Anderson's ground forces, British and United States parachutists were seizing vital airfields for use by follow-up units of the R.A.F. and United

States army air forces which were gunning their way through the Axis aerial screen.

The R.A.F. laid down a bomb barrage for the advance, while veteran Battle-of-Britain squadrons engaged Axis bomber flights, and United States Flying Fortresses turned their bomb sights upon the Axis-held Bizerte airfield.

Forces in the Chad region were reported here to be of considerable number, well equipped and supported by South African and R.A.F. squadrons.

The Morocco radio said only about 940 miles separated a motorized column from Lake Chad and the Allied force of Lt.-Gen. Kenneth Anderson pushing eastward through Tunisia.

Although the Allied communiqué did not identify the points at which columns had driven into Tunisia, information here suggested that these followed the main road and rail routes. One from the Algerian port of Bone along the coast through Tabarka toward Bizerte; a second along a rail line from Tebessa, Algeria, toward Tunis, and a third, farther south, along a trail which runs through Gafsa to Gabes, where better roads lead on to Sfax and the coastal rail line to Tunis.

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Sweeping back outlying Axis patrols, Lt.-Gen. Kenneth Anderson's 1st Army—the veterans of Flanders—drove on into Tunisia from Algeria at several points in a sweep intended to trap and crush the German-Italian airborne army reported digging in at Tunis, the capital, and Bizerte, the big naval base, against pro-Allied French resistance.

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This action was coupled with a heavy bombing attack at dusk Wednesday which started large fires in the Bengasi docks area.

Two ships were reported left burning near the harbor entrance.

East of Bengasi, a Heinkel and a Junkers 52 were declared destroyed in a raid on the Barce airdrome, 70 miles east of Bengasi, the previous day.

"Enemy transport vehicles also were successfully attacked by four fighters on the roads south of Bengasi," the communiqué said.

German-Italian aerial activity was dismissed as on a small scale.

(Reuters News Agency said a

Morocco radio broadcast reported the arrival of Allied supply ships at Tobruk. These presumably were from Egypt and indicated the Royal Navy and the service corps were putting the recaptured Libyan port to their own uses to keep the chase of Rommel fueled and supplied.

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The poison struck swiftly,

and within 15 minutes after Wednesday evening's dinner, at which the eggs were served, the victims began complaining of violent cramps. Within an hour the poison had caused the first death. By 10 p.m. five hours after the meal, 10 had died. By midnight, the toll had reached 32.

Defeat in the Desert



As the British roll on westward in pursuit of Rommel's fleeing desert forces, a lone British sentry stands guard over a wounded German officer while waiting for a field ambulance to arrive. (Passed by censor).

3-Pronged Allied Drive Thrusting Into Tunisia

By E. C. DANIEL

LONDON (AP)—Three of the toughest armies assembled by the United Nations since the start of the war converged on the Bizerte-Tripoli-Bengasi triangle today in fighting contact with Axis forces while Allied planes and parachute troopers built up air power in preparation for the final assault to wipe the Germans and Italians from north Africa.

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RAF bombers hit Axis bases in Tunis and hit enemy air transports.

French Fall Back To Contact Allies

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Black Dragon
Inquiry Nears End;
Morii Called

VANCOUVER (CP)—The inquiry by Judge J. C. A. Cameron as a commissioner into charges by the Vancouver News-Herald of Black Dragon activity in British Columbia neared a close today with Etsuji Morii, a Japanese whose name was mentioned in the newspaper stories, expected to be one of the last witnesses.

Wednesday a News-Herald reporter, Ted Ward, told Judge Cameron that Aubrey M. Dinsmore supplied him with "some of the information" used in the article which led to the inquiry being ordered.

Dinsmore himself, summoned as a witness, said he thought it "his duty as a Canadian citizen" to give his information to the News-Herald. He said he had not gone to the R.C.M.P. with his story because he heard "Morii was acting in co-operation with the R.C.M.P."

Under cross-examination by C. H. Locke, K.C., counsel for the R.C.M.P. and the B.C. Security Commission, Dinsmore said he could not remember the name of "one Japanese that told you (Dinsmore) about Morii's fifth column activities."

JAPS TERRORIZED

Commissioner Cameron said it had been stated, in one of the News-Herald articles that Morii, head of a Japanese liaison committee which assisted the commission in evacuating Japanese from the British Columbia coast, had terrorized the Japanese community here for 20 years.

"Who told you that?" he asked Ward.

"That was the general information we got from the Japanese," Ward replied.

"Somebody must have suggested that to you, or was it an inference on your part because Morii was charged with murder some years ago?" asked Judge Cameron.

"For 20 years the Japanese community has gone in fear of certain jujitsuists," Ward said.

CITIZEN'S DUTY

When asked his purpose in contacting the News-Herald, Dinsmore said he went to the newspaper last August and told them the story.

"Why did you go?" asked the commissioner. "All you had was a rumor."

"I thought it was my duty as a Canadian citizen," Dinsmore replied.

He said he did not know why he had selected the News-Herald out of the three Vancouver daily newspapers and later acknowledged under questioning that he previously had offered the information to the Vancouver Sun, but that the Sun was not interested.

Wednesday, Harold Winch, C.C.F. leader in the provincial Legislature, told the commissioner that a statement attributed to him by Sgt. John K. Barnes of the R.C.M.P. regarding that force gave a "false impression."

Mr. Winch was summoned to appear at the inquiry following a statement by Sgt. Barnes Tuesday that the C.C.F. leader had told Japanese here is discussing the R.C.M.P. that he "hated their guts, too."

Mr. Winch said his criticism of the R.C.M.P. was intended to win the confidence of the Japanese, who had staged a demonstration in immigration sheds here and refused to obey evacuation orders.

Franco Rebuffs Hitler?

LONDON (CP)—A Reuters news agency dispatch from Ankara quoted diplomatic sources in the Turkish capital today as saying Gen. Francisco Franco of Spain had refused to grant Germany naval and air bases.

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Elliott M. Little Resigns

Government Scored By Manpower Chief As He Quits; Labor Minister Replies



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Lack of National Plan Cause of Manpower Crisis

LONDON, Ont.—Manpower

constitutes the most serious problem which faces Canada and the government has been dodging it since the outbreak of war, writes Arthur R. Ford in a special Ottawa article in the London Free Press.

"Everyone in Ottawa who has given the question any thought feels that a national plan should have been made long ago covering the manpower situation," Mr. Mitchell said, and he hoped shortly to make an announcement on the subject.

MAT DELAY TRANSFER

Transfer of the call-up for compulsory military service from the National War Services Department to Selective Service was scheduled for Dec. 1. Whether it will be delayed by a reorganization in Selective Service was not immediately apparent.

Changes in the administration of Selective Service comes at a time when Mr. Mitchell is engaged in a shuffle of executives of the labor department itself. Dr. Bryce Stewart, deputy minister, recently submitted his resignation, which was originally to have been effective Nov. 1. Later Dr. Stewart agreed to remain with the department for a short time and he accompanied Mr. Mitchell on his recent trip to the United Kingdom, giving special attention to study of Selective Service and labor problems overseas.

It is now considered likely that Dr. Stewart will remain with the department indefinitely, though it is not known in exactly what capacity.

Arthur MacNamara, associate deputy minister, was considered a likely successor to Dr. Stewart as deputy, but in some circles the suggestion is being advanced that he may head the Selective Service organization.

Possibility of the resignation of several Selective Service executives, who were associated with Mr. Little in private business before they came to Ottawa, was also a topic of discussion on Parliament Hill today.

This thrust, he said, would be co-ordinated with one from the section of Yunnan province adjacent to Burma, which the Japanese occupied last spring. They have been stationary there since May.

The spokesman said the Japanese recently had secretly increased their strength in Yunnan by 12,000 men, bringing the

total to 30,000, and at the same time bolstered their air forces at Wanting and other air fields in the occupied border region.

"We are watching developments very carefully," he said.

The spokesman added the Japanese had assembled landing craft, including collapsible rubber boats, for crossing the turbulent waters of the Salween River as the first step of the drive, the objectives of which would be the capture of Kunming and the possible disruption of air services between India and China.

Mr. King has refused so far to intervene in the controversy and in the meantime the confusion is growing worse. Mr. Little was brought in as head of the National Selective Service in order to solve the problem. He is an able executive, took hold of the job with enthusiasm.

Mr. Ford says that Mr. Little found he had no authority over

the past summer, received their awards from the King in recent Buckingham Palace investiture, it was disclosed today.

They were Flt. Lt. Ralph Christie of North Bay, Ont., who received the Distinguished Service Order; Wing Cmdr. P. H. Woodruff of Edmonton, who received the Distinguished Flying Cross, and Warrant Officer Ronald John Embrey of Montreal, who also won the D.F.C.

Woodruff was honored June 6 for leading an R.C.R.F. Blenheim fighter squadron of the coastal command, in a raid on the German cruiser Prinz Eugen. Woodruff drove off three Messerschmitts during the engagement.

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1,500-mile Flight

Italy Raided Again, Turin Works Bombed

abroad. Swiss anti-aircraft guns were in action.

Observers on the southeast coast of England reported heavy bombers had crossed the English Channel there in a steady procession for 70 minutes Wednesday night.

NO LOSS OF PLANES

The Air Ministry announced the R.A.F. bombers returned from Turin without the loss of one plane.

"Last night aircraft of the bomber command attacked the Fiat works and other targets at Turin. The sky over northern Italy was clear and the crews report good results."

The Italian high command reported "considerable damage to civilian houses," some fires in Turin, 24 dead and 2 wounded. The communiqué made no claim of shooting down any of the raiders. It said the fires were quickly controlled.

Five members of the R.C.A.F. serving with the R.A.F. reported the Turin trip was uneventful and that good fires were starting when they arrived at the target, the subject before the end of the year.

The party adopted a resolution urging the lifting of the ban on the Communist Party. It stated that while the conference strongly dissociated itself from the Communist Party and Communist propaganda, it believes in the right of free political expression.

Tillicum-Craigflower P.T.A. heard reports of the different committees at its recent meeting at Tillicum School. Rev. T. H. McAllister, program convener, introduced Miss Hannesson from the Home Lighting Department of the B.C. Electric, who gave an interesting talk on better lighting for homes, showed colored lights and their results and then answered questions. The attendance shield went to grade 6 at Tillicum and grades 4, 5 and 6 at Craigflower. The next meeting will be held in January at St. Martin's Hall, after which a card party will take place.

"Build B.C. Payrolls"

An Excellent Idea



Several of our friends to whom we have mentioned Mrs. W.'s recipe have reported back to us and each is greatly pleased. Mrs. W.'s excellent idea is this: For cake topping, pie fillings, cream puffs, etc., use the "Pacific" whipped cream recipe as base and substitute fruit jelly or jam for the usual lemon juice.

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Coups 'Soften Up' Italy for Invasion

By PETER EDSON

WASHINGTON — In the light of current news, anti-Fascist Italian leaders in the United States are quietly getting a lot of satisfaction out of the thought that Italy is now being "softened up" for invasion.

They point to the invasion of French North Africa by Allied forces, with potential follow-up operations against the whole southern coast of the Mediterranean to establish bases from which an attack on Italy could be launched.

They point to the job which Gen. Montgomery now seems to be doing on Gen. Rommel, et al., in Libya.

They point to the British bombing raids on the Italian industrial areas around Turin and Genoa.

BIDDLE PLEASED THEM

No one thing has given Italians in the United States a bigger lift than the Columbus Day

announcement from Attorney-General Francis Biddle, lifting the stigma of "enemy alien" from the 600,000 unnaturalized born-in-Italy residents of the country. Radio Rome tried to label that as a pre-election Roosevelt trick, and in short-wave broadcasts beamed at the United States, the Italian mouthpieces tried to warn American citizens of Italian birth not to fall into this trap.

Few people in the United States listen to Radio Rome, aside from the government-paid listeners in who try to keep an ear tuned to the Fascist party line, but to fully appreciate how funny this warning of a "Roosevelt trick" really is, all you have to do is look at the election returns.

Though Radio Rome has no effect on what goes on in the United States, to aid in the process of "softening up" Italy for later co-operation with the United Nations, a constant barrage of radio propaganda is kept up from

PROPAGANDA POLICY

It is almost impossible for anyone in the United States to follow these broadcasts from the United States to foreign countries, for it is only by luck and under freak atmospheric conditions that a short-wave receiver in the U.S. can pick up the beam. Naturally, the general staffs of the army and navy aren't putting out what their policy is in broadcasting to any foreign country, but in general it can be said that the idea with regard to Italy is to put over to the Italian population the thought that the United Nations are not seeking to inflict any reprisals or punishments on the Italian people themselves for the misdeeds of the

Fascist government under Mussolini.

The main problem boils down to this fundamental of "softening up" the Italians so as to prepare them to welcome a possible invasion by United Nations troops.

STRENGTH NOT KNOWN

How strong the Italian underground movement really is can't be determined and probably couldn't be told if it were known. Anti-Fascists in the United States think it's pretty good. Americans who were in Italy right up to the time the United States got into the war aren't so sure, but American newspaper correspondents have been kicked out of Italy for writing stories about executions of anti-Fascists.

There are supposedly Communists and Liberal wings to anti-Fascism in Italy today, the Communists probably being the stronger and better organized. In the United States, the Italian Liberals are more important. But the point made by Italian leaders in the U.S. is that both groups are working together now, against Mussolini.

Specifically, the Italian underground takes credit for much of the inefficiency of the Italian army, for sabotage of Italian war industries, for actually aiding the Yugoslavian revolutionary movement under General Mikhalovich.

Montreal Candidate Criticizes Priest

MONTREAL (CP) — Jean Drapeau, candidate of the draftees in the Outremont federal by-election campaign, said Wednesday: "The Rev. Maj. Armand Sabourin, chaplain of Les Fusiliers Mont-Royal at Dieppe, ceased to be a priest or a soldier when he started his present imperialist propaganda campaign."

Mr. Drapeau, 26-year-old opponent of Maj.-Gen. L. R. LaFleche, Minister of National War Services, in the Nov. 30 by-election, was speaking at his first public meeting, attended by about 1,000 persons in a north end school hall, plus an overflow outside audience.

He said: "We are grateful to the Rev. Maj. Sabourin for the spiritual comfort he may have brought to our soldiers, but we will fight him to the end when he behaves the way he has since he returned from overseas."

(Maj. Sabourin, mentioned in dispatches after the Dieppe raid, has made several public speeches since his return to Canada.)

Mr. Drapeau said the campaign in Outremont was being fought between Maj.-Gen. LaFleche, "the executioner," and the draftees, "his victims."

"We are in favor of the war effort for Canada," he said, "but we do not give a hoot for a war effort for England."

"This is the supreme fight for draftees across the country," Mr. Drapeau continued, "and I and the young men helping me are actually pleading for our lives when we ask you, Outremont voters, to cast your vote against a conscriptionist minister."

Quebec Youth Boasts Ignoring Draft Notice

MONTREAL (CP) — Marc Carriere, chief organizer for Jean Drapeau in the Outremont federal by-election, said in a campaign speech Wednesday that "I received my call-up notice some time ago. I did not give a hoot about it."

Carriere, 22 years old, added: "They may send me to jail or to an internment camp for it, but I will not don a uniform to serve a cause which is not Canada's."

Unconfirmed Nazi Claim

LONDON (AP) — The German-controlled Vichy radio broadcast today a Madrid report that 50 damaged British warships and merchantmen had arrived at Gibraltar and landed dead and wounded.

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Letters to the Editor

EDUCATION AND DEMOCRACY

With some comments of your columnist on the promotion of education as "The Foundation of Democracy" I and others will agree. Though why he should say he or I or anyone who says our education system is a failure is ignorant, is beyond me.

Of course it is a failure if the idea is to fit students as citizens for a better life than we now have. If the idea is to carry on with our present mess of human affairs it is very successful.

It seems to me the whole education system is a costly farce. Any teenage boy or girl not conditioned to conformity would scrap our way of life; made up entirely of false premise—of personal gain as against social values and personal well-being.

G. B. Shaw says: "We must teach citizenship and political science at school. But must we? There is no must about it, the hard fact being that we must not teach political science and citizenship at school. The schoolmaster who attempted it would soon find himself penniless in the streets.

"However, all thought of the permanence of our system will be gone by the time this war is over. What a sight it will be if we then find our teachers trying to maintain it. They must. The course is prescribed and they are set to go. F. A. THORNLEY, Sidney.

LAY-STRATEGISTS FLAYED

The opening of the Second Front has apparently offered a much desired opportunity to many news analysts, who in the past have been denouncing and criticizing all so-called lay strategists for their criticism of the military experts for their failure to produce a second front. All this, despite the fact, that the

criticism emanated from other experts, and with whom, in the majority of cases, the lay strategists agreed in toto.

Clemenceau, during the last Great War said: "War is much too serious a matter to be left to generals," and his statement was to a great extent proven, when Poincare found it necessary to recall a general from the front to Paris for consultation. The president had heard that the general had intentions of advancing on a district that was manufacturing munitions for the Germans; the destruction of which would have brought the war to an early close.

It will also be remembered that during the last Great War Lloyd George said: "Criticism aided materially in winning the war."

JOHN McDERMOTT, 674 Battery Street.

RESURRECTION?

France, where the poppies are blowing, Blowing blood red in the sun—France, tell the world thou art growing, Thy resurrection's begun!

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An Alarming Situation

UNTIL HON. HUMPHREY MITCHELL, federal Minister of Labor, issues his promised statement in reply to the resignation of Mr. Elliott Little from his position as Director of National Selective Service there will be a disposition to withhold judgment. But enough already is known to convince the public that a state of indecision—which had been apparent—has progressively hampered the solution of the Dominion's vital and urgent manpower problem. Mr. Little's blunt complaint that he had encountered so much "friction and obstructionism" that it had resulted in what he termed "virtual paralysis" of the selective service organization, reads strangely and ominously when considered with Mr. Mitchell's statement that his relations with his departmental chief had been "most cordial," and that the Selective Service director had left his post "mainly due to certain misconceptions."

The gravamen of Mr. Little's disillusionment centres in his statement that in this fourth year of the war he was without any "clear directive from the government on manpower policy" or adequate organization "to achieve a total and balanced manpower effort." This is a serious charge from an able businessman whose appointment, more than seven months ago, to one of the most important wartime posts in the gift of the government was hailed far and wide as a realistic move toward a solution of what at that time was regarded as of pressing urgency. Not only does it demand a categorical, prompt and unequivocal reply from the Minister of Labor, to whom the Director of National Selective Service has been responsible during this long period; it demands the immediate attention of the war committee of the government. Mr. Mackenzie King announced Mr. Little's appointment in the House of Commons last March 24, and his detailed recital of the duties of the new agency included much informative statistical data which, of course, was intended to demonstrate to the Canadian people the immediate significance of this new departure in the nation's war effort.

As we said in these columns at the time, the Prime Minister's enunciation of the government's policy was a fitting sequel to the speech which Air Minister Power had delivered in the previous December—nearly a year ago—in which he had said: "We will organize manpower for the defence of our shores, so as not to be a liability to our friends and Allies, and so that there shall be no chink in the armor of the democratic front. We will organize manpower for the greater production of munitions and food so as to be an asset to our friends and Allies. We will organize our women to work in the arsenals, the shops and the factories." Our footnote to this pronouncement, coupled with Mr. Mackenzie King's statement of March 24, was that "only when Canada is using them (these manpower and womanpower resources) to their maximum proportions will she be able to say with pride that she is fighting a total war."

To argue that the resignation of Mr. Little, for the reasons he has given, will seriously disturb the public mind is to put it mildly. Even in the absence of the fuller explanatory announcement which Mr. Mitchell has promised, the development in itself has emphasized a new reason why Mr. Mackenzie King should consider, and consider without delay, a reorganization of his cabinet—and particularly of the inner council, which is responsible for the administration of the nation's war effort in all its vital particulars.

We Must Keep Our Balance

MR. CHURCHILL TOLD THE BOYS OF his own school, Harrow, yesterday that "we are marching forward, stronger every month, with more knowledge, confidence and power." Mr. Roosevelt had just hailed United States successes in Africa and the South Pacific as an apparent "turning point of the war." Under-Secretary of State Sumner Welles also thinks "the clouds are lifting." And a general feeling of optimism now is manifest among the peoples of the United Nations.

All the Allied leaders nevertheless agree that much stiff fighting lies ahead, that we should not let the successes of the moment go to our heads, and that our best bulwark against future disappointments will be in our possession of the knowledge that we have not allowed complacency to weaken our resolve to work harder and willingly accept all the sacrifices which final victory will demand. Never let it be forgotten that the haughty spirit often precedes the fall. Surely we have had enough cruel lessons in the last three years to impress this truism on our minds.

Notes

R.A.F. trips over the Alps and back without loss are becoming commonplace.

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It will be merely child's play—after the whole of North Africa is in Allied hands—to hop across the Mediterranean, conquer the enthusiastic Italians in a few weeks, march to Germany, squeeze the Nazis between the Russians and an Anglo-American second front, and plant the United Nations' standards in Berlin. Emphasis must be on the long-time feature. We would be foolish if we forget that the Italians, little as they seem to have heart for this war, still possess a substantial nuisance value once we land on their soil. We should remember, too, that Nazi defeats thus far have been far from home; that any military nation fights best when invaded; that just as Hitler's victories became thinner as his military lifeline extended, so when we become the invaders it will be our lifeline that stretches and his that tightens up.

On the other hand, of course, it can be legitimately argued that our difficulties will be diluted by the knowledge that our sources of supply will be ample for our needs, and that our presence on the enemy's soil will strengthen the will to victory incalculably. The point to be borne in mind, however, is that the more imposing our successes, the greater the necessity to drive them home with all the vigor that is left to us. The next armistice must be signed in Berlin, not in a French forest; the German government and German people must be made to realize how their gospel of "guns instead of butter" has worked out.

Mr. Hart Completes His Plan

EVERY BRITISH COLUMBIAN WILL applaud the Coalition government's decision to establish an independent purchasing commission which shall be completely free of the faintest suspicion of political influence. Although Mr. Hart's announcement to this effect yesterday caused little surprise, because more than a year ago he launched an investigation into the accountancy system operating in the department of the Provincial Police, the public will welcome this further departure from methods which left loopholes for partisan favors. The independent inquiry which began several months ago, subsequent to a departmental investigation that uncovered various irregularities, led to the court actions of which the public already is well aware.

Not only will the commission direct and take full responsibility for the purchase of all government supplies, its personnel will comprise three high officials of the Civil Service, whose status, in one respect, will be similar to that of the Comptroller-General, in that it will be responsible to the Legislative Assembly and not to the government. This is precisely as it should be. The purchasing department is an agency of the public service which handles vast sums of the people's money. All its transactions obviously should be above question. It is to be noted, too, that the government proposes to strengthen and improve the audit system with the object of eradicating such weaknesses as may have existed both in the purchasing and accounting departments.

While no reform of any particular department of government, here or elsewhere, can be expected to produce miracles overnight, the decision which Mr. Hart and his colleagues have taken will go far to remove suspicion from the public mind in the matter of political preferences. So far the coalition experiment in British Columbia has worked well. Nobody suggests that each cabinet minister has completely forgotten, or thrown overboard, his own political philosophy; nor is the public interested in these fine points. What the taxpayer desires to be assured of, however, is the government's determination to meet the demands of these times of stress in a straightforward and realistic manner. Plugging the loopholes in the manner now provided for is good business.

SPEED

IT IS TO BE NOTED certainly that people are driving their cars more slowly than they used to, but with a pained look on their faces as if a speed of 30 miles an hour were a very great hardship. Yet I can remember, when I bought my first car more than 20 years ago, a speed of 30 was considered very dangerous and the literature that came with the car warned the driver that if he would drive only 20 miles an hour the engine would last longer. Twenty-five was considered a very good speed in the country and 20 or less in town. Now most people feel they are under a terrible compulsion, by a cruel government, when they have to hold down to 30. And many don't.

Even today, with gasoline scarce and rubber scarce, the Saanich Road south of Royal Oak for two miles or so is a speedway though the legal limit is 30 miles. I have stood there lately and watched the cars going by at not less than 50 and some more than 50. It would be interesting, as a point of law, to know whether the law applies to service men, in government cars and in private cars and to public carriers. Certainly the boys in uniform worry little about the speed limit and, if they are on urgent duty, no doubt they must break it. But one of these days there is going to be a terrible accident along here and then, when it is too late, we shall find that somebody was simply in a hurry to get to town.

There is more to this than the mere speed limit and the safety of a few country yokels who have to walk on the side of the road. There is the whole question of law enforcement, and the danger of all law enforcement coming into dispute. If one can break the speed law one gets the idea that other disagreeable laws also can be broken. And really it would hurt no one to go only 30 miles an hour in the zones clearly marked with this speed limit.

But it was 'hot' of cars and sugar I intended to speak today. These alluring subjects draw one on. I mean only to argue that the war, by curtailing some of our vices, ought to show us better than any other lesson what has been wrong with our society in the past. Speeding and sugar are only small symptoms of a general disease, the disease of indulgence and luxury. We certainly should and can establish decent security for everyone after the war, but if we interpret that as meaning a general wave of increased luxury, more speed, more sugar, more of everything that is bad for us, we shall deserve whatever happens to us. And the loss of our teeth will not be the worst of it.

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Bruce Hutchison

TEETH

ON THE CREDIT SIDE of the balance in the war we can safely place the reduction in sugar and motoring. These are reforms long overdue.

All doctors and dentists tell me that the health of North America has been steadily undermined by an overconsumption of sugar. The teeth of North America now consist, to a very large extent, of gold or silver fillings, and these are due mostly to sugar. A test made among college students in California not long ago showed that those who ate a lot of sugar in various forms had bad teeth, while those who consumed little sugar practically needed no dental attention.

Before the war the care of teeth had become one of the largest industries on the Continent and few people could get along without dentists, if they could afford the price. If sugar rationing were continued for the next hundred years we might have as good teeth as the underprivileged Chinese, Hindus and the natives of Africa, who have never been able to afford dentists.

THE WALKER

MOTORING also has been one of the worst vices of America. The automobile can be a very great aid to civilization, used to explore new places, used to take people from cities to the country. But the automobile used to convey a man half a block down the street, an automobile used for every kind of short errand had robbed a large part of America before the war of the capacity to walk a couple of miles. It is an arresting thought that even in our day people actually had no automobiles in Victoria and thought nothing of walking to work from two miles' distance, and children frequently walked or cycled twice that distance to school. And yet today there are thousands of people about here who would consider a two mile walk sufficient exercise for a month; would consider it, in fact, a great hardship and an invitation to physical collapse.

But as motor rations decrease, as people have to walk, they will grow more healthy all the time. And as they walk and use less sugar we shall shortly produce a race of really healthy people about here; just as in Britain the simplified diet of the war has enormously improved the public health.

But there is nothing to suggest that we shall continue such sensible arrangements after the war. There is nothing to suggest that, as soon as sugar rationing stops, we shall not all make a dive for the sugar bin and come up, happy, with our teeth full of cavities. There is nothing to suggest that when we get plenty of gasoline we shall not leap into our cars and drive them half way down the block to buy a package of cigarettes or over the cliffs of the Malahat just for the fun of speed. Indeed, there is a widespread belief that the true purpose of winning the war is to enable us to indulge ourselves once more in all the old luxuries that were bad for us. We are still not ready to discriminate between civilization and indulgence. We still are not ready for the advantages of the age we live in. We are still too primitive for the kind of society we have erected. However, this war may teach us something.

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From a Correspondent

LONDON.

The quality of a submarine's periscope largely determines the undersea boat's effectiveness as a warship. The Japs have a good one. It is a sad fact; London newspapers say, that all Japanese

submarines have periscopes. The periscope developed through the years between the first World War and the present one was adopted by the Mikado's navy, which turned down periscopes developed by German scientists. Standard equipment includes three types, one for day work, another for night spotting and a third for sky searching.

Chess is staging a comeback in England. Army camps have formed inter-camp leagues and only a shortage of boards and chessmen prevent it from being the national army pastime. Heavy raids in London during 1940 disrupted the chess clubs of this ancient city, but how small tournaments are being played. Newspapers are also discovering that chess columns attract wide reader interest.

RECENTLY ONE SYNDICATE OF 20 WEALTHY HORSEBREEDERS TOOK OVER THE OFFENSIVE ON THE ASIAGO PLATEAU; HEAVY FIGHTING DEVELOPED AT MONTE TOMBA AND MONTE MONFERA. FURTHER BRITISH SUCCESSSES IN GERMAN EAST AFRICA REPORTED.

BRITAIN'S ARMY IS WELL PREPARED TO MEET THE GERMAN GAS THREAT.

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Tentative plans were made for Christmas entertainment at the canteen, which will include a

party for the men on Boxing Day. The annual meeting of the auxiliary will be held on Jan. 17 and Mrs. Archibald Harris, Mrs. W. N. Sheffield, Mrs. J. Phethean, Mrs. J. W. Ruggles and Miss Olive Mater were named a committee to look after the nominations.

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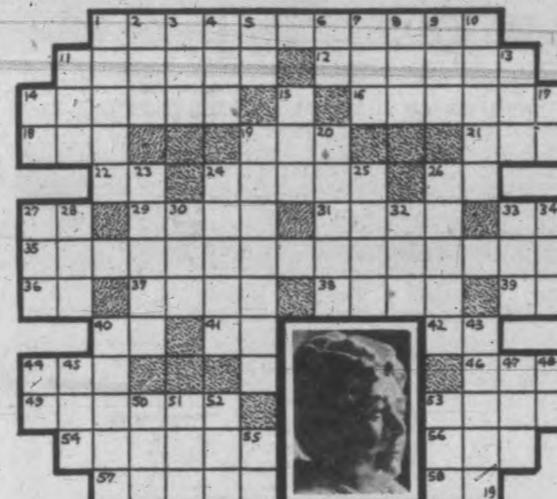
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HORIZONTAL

- 1 Depicted suffragist, Elizabeth
- 11 Number of successive events.
- 12 Frightful.
- 14 Mother, or father.
- 16 Crown.
- 18 Fish.
- 19 Oriental lute.
- 21 One (Fr.).
- 22 Symbol for stibium.
- 24 Having strong savor.
- 26 Like.
- 27 Area measure.
- 29 Genus of maples.
- 31 Titled nobleman.
- 33 Tungsten (symbol).
- 35 She was a well-known (pl.).
- 36 Compass point.
- 37 Golf term.
- 38 Royal Italian family name.
- 39 Biblical pronoun.
- 40 Affirmative vote.
- 41 Street (abbr.).
- 42 Railroad (abbr.).
- 44 Circle part.
- 46 Bolivian Indian (var.).
- 49 Fencing position.
- 53 Whirl.
- 54 Awaken.
- 56 Nine plus one.
- 57 Nov. 12 was the 127th anniversary of her —.
- 58 Any.
- 59 Biblical pronoun.
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- 69 Biblical pronoun.
- 70 Nest.
- 71 Sorrowful.
- 72 Low haunt.
- 73 14.3.1416.
- 74 Head covering (astrop.).
- 75 Myself.
- 76 Marks to shoot at.
- 77 Narrow valley on the moon.
- 78 Golf club.
- 79 Withers.
- 80 Accomplishes.
- 81 Snake.
- 82 Onager.
- 83 European woody herb.
- 84 Blood money.
- 85 Rodent.
- 86 Attempt.
- 87 Employ.
- 88 Sharp and harsh.
- 89 Mature.
- 90 Near.
- 91 Narrow inlet.
- 92 Important metal.
- 93 Hatch an em.
- 94 Edible fern rootstock.
- 95 Mongrel.
- 96 East (Fr.).
- 97 Station (abbr.).
- 98 Exclamation.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

WILLIAM	JEFFERS
ANASME	ARTAREA
INNTEA	UANALL
TADRELEASE	SAM
ETSRIM	EWETO
REAL	MIEN
RAGE	LET
RACIAL	ARSON
UPNT	BYRE
SIBCO	OPAL
BEETHAM	HERENS
ECRUSO	OR SAGO
REGATTA	WRITTEN

Shaped like a dumb-bell, a metal and glass beverage mixer that can be operated with one hand has been invented by a Chicagoan.

Routine evidence on signatures was presented to the Assize Court Wednesday afternoon as the conspiracy to defraud trial of L. J. Simmons, former provincial police quartermaster, and George H. Hall, managing director of Hall & Co. Ltd., continued.

The hearing was adjourned at 4 with an objection from Stuart Henderson, counsel for Hall, that J. B. Clearihue, K.C., crown prosecutor with W. C. Moresby, K.C., was exceeding the limits set for him in presentation of evidence by John Harvey, deputy provincial comptroller-general. Henderson contended counsel was dealing with evidence of which he had given no notice.

Earlier Maurice Wilkinson, city detective, and John Lund, city constable, had identified prints of the two accused together with signatures on them.

H. B. MacLean, examiner of questioned documents, gave expert testimony on signatures on certain documents presented in court. The signature "L. J. Simmons" on a document purporting to be the voucher for 200 pairs of police breeches, was written by the person who wrote "L. J. Simmons" on the standard documents.

Cecil Clark, provincial police inspector, stated Simmons was quartermaster in October, 1941, and identified his signature on an engagement form, on letters written by the former quartermaster and on other documents, including the voucher for the breeches.

He could give no positive evidence on the person authorized to make purchases for police stores.

Replies to Stuart Henderson, Clark said 407 regular police officers were on the force last year as well as 41 specials and admitted they would need extra clothes and that consideration should have been taken over extra cloth in view of war conditions and scarcities arising from them.

U.B.C. Plans Medicine, Law, Pharmacy

VANCOUVER (CP)—Dean Daniel Buchanan, acting president of the University of British Columbia, in an address to members of the British Pharmaceutical Association Wednesday night, said a school of pharmacy and departments of law and medicine are under consideration for the university, but lack of space and funds were holding the projects up.

"We must provide well for departments already established before we move ahead," he said. "The campus is more crowded than ever because applied science graduates, in fact all graduates, are essential to the war effort."

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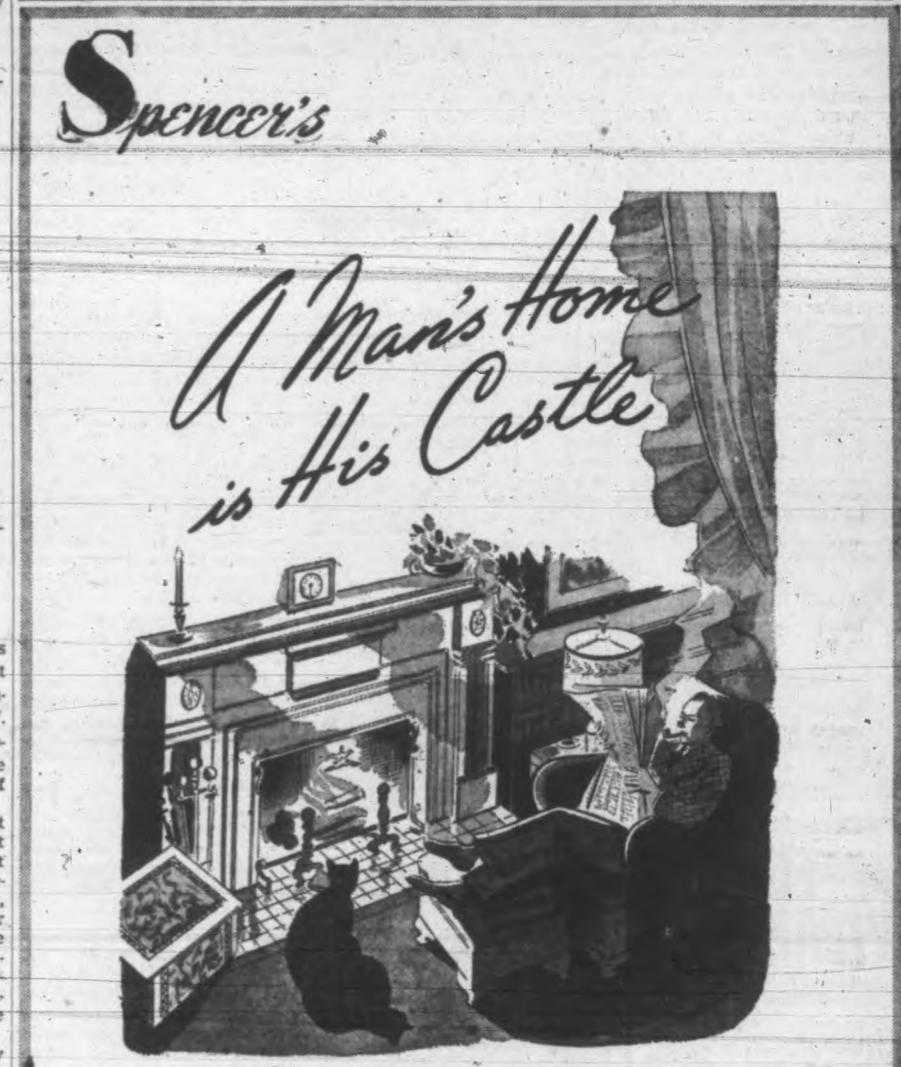
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OTTAWA (CP)—Col. James Mess, deputy adjutant-general, told a conference of Canadian Women's Army Corps staff officers Wednesday, that "the C.W.A.C. personnel is the best spoke in the recruiting wheel."

He commended the corps for the smartness and general bearing of its members, and added that he and his staff would do all in their power to "remove obstacles" and assist with recruiting.

Many phases of administration, organization and work connected with the corps were dealt with at the opening sessions of the three-day conference, presided over by Lt.-Col. Joan B. Kennedy of Victoria, director of the C.W.A.C.

Col. R. E. Smythe, director of organization, said the women were doing a "magnificent job," and stressed that more and more personnel were needed in Canada, for service in Washington and overseas. He spoke of plans

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British Columbia members of the R.C.A.F. (Women's Division), Precision Squadron, are shown above, but the only Vancouver Island member, Elsie Maud Youd of Shawnigan Lake, did not get in the picture. She was probably too busy with her duties as a postal clerk. Left to right, front row: AW2, K. Mason, AW2, G. M. E. McMillan, both of Vancouver; AW2, V. L. M. Anderson, Nelson; Flt. Sgt. M. B. Lawrence, Kamloops; AW2, I. L. Hystead, Kimberley; AW2, M. Shuttleworth, AW2, F. E. McDonald, both of Vancouver. Back row: AW2, E. P. Holmes, Creston; AW2, E. J. Hamilton, Vernon; AW2, J. R. Bennett, Kelowna; AW2, J. W. McFadyen, Vancouver. The squad of 55 air-women will arrive here next Wednesday morning at 7. At 11 they will be inspected by the Lieutenant-Governor outside the Parliament Buildings, and at 11:20 will be welcomed by Mayor McGavin and give a drill demonstration on Cormorant Street, between Douglas and Broad. They will also give a demonstration at 8:30 p.m. at the Bay Street Armories.

Social and Personal

Mrs. W. C. Woodward, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. A. L. Wilson of Cobourg, Ont., and her father, Mr. C. E. Wynn Johnson of Alkali Lake, B.C., and Mr. A. M. D. Fairbairn, secretary to the Lieutenant-Governor, visited the Provincial Museum Wednesday morning to view the recently-opened exhibit of Indian portraiture. Mrs. M. V. Thornton, painter of the portraits, was presented to Mrs. Woodward, and explained many interesting points in connection with her work which is on display.

Pilot Officers Frank Hardman, Cameron Davis and M. W. Robinson of the New Zealand Air Force, who are spending a week in Vancouver, will leave Friday for this city.

Mrs. Alice Skellern, whose marriage to PO. Harold Gardner will take place in Sydney, N.S., at the end of this month, left Victoria Wednesday for Vancouver to go by plane to Ottawa, where she will spend a few days before continuing her journey.

Mrs. Robert D. Sheret of 2177 Central Avenue, Oak Bay, has left for Vancouver to join her husband, Capt. R. D. Sheret, of the Canadian Dental Corps, and will reside at 4041 West 12th Avenue, Vancouver, B.C.

In honor of Miriam Marmen and Dorothy Eustis, who appeared in recital Wednesday night, Mrs. E. W. Hetherington, president of the Victoria Musical Arts Society, which sponsored the recital, entertained at an informal luncheon party today at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. H. Gibson entertained at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Masters, 978 Bank Street, Wednesday evening at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Phyllis Hobbs, whose marriage to Mr. Leif Aune takes place shortly. The guest of honor was Mrs. H. Calvert and her daughter, Doreen, at their home on Shelbourne Street. The bride-to-be and the groom-elect's mother, Mrs. H. A. Giles, were presented with corsage bouquets of mauve and white chrysanthemums. The many useful gifts were contained in a turquoise and white basket, which was carried in by Miss Joy Cruickshank and Miss Calvert. During the evening games were played, and prizes were won by Mesdames N. Peters, H. A. Giles and J. Cruickshank. A buffet supper was served from a table centred with a bowl of yellow and bronze chrysanthemums. Other guests included Mesdames A. M. Robertson, A. Masters, G. Bannister, R. Attwell, W. Noon; Misses Peters, Nettie Robertson and Phyllis Mugford and Anne Oldfield.

Complimentay to Miss Adeline D. Kalk, whose marriage to Mr. F. M. Sutton will take place Nov. 25, her cousin, Miss L. Milly, gave a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Fulthorpe, 447 Kingston Street, Monday evening. The guest of honor was led to a table decorated with a doll dressed in pink and blue, under which were arranged many gifts. Yellow and white chrysanthemums throughout the room completed an effective color scheme of white and yellow. The evening was spent with games, the winners being Mrs. L. Heth and Mrs. L. Tanton. Buffet supper was served, the hostess being assisted by Mrs. A. Clarke, Mrs. T. Fulthorpe, Miss H. Fraser and B. Fraser. Other guests were: Mesdames L. James, M. Taylor, M. Bennett, A. Fource, R. Johnstone, M. Fraser, Kershaw, H. Dunning, E. Millar, E. Forrest, N. Hunter, M. Stuart, T. Robe, A. Chandler, M. Snaide, I. Morris, M. Young, A. Clarke, and the Misses M. Harris, L. Gilchrist, M. Simpson and Messrs. W. P. Opie, B. Kalk, T. Fulthorpe, L. Heth and S. T. Hale.

At a meeting here Wednesday the league elected a committee of six to discuss the matter with the child division of the co-ordinating council of social agencies and governmental authorities.

Mrs. Lillian Newitt told the meeting that in a survey of an area approximately 10 square blocks she found more than 350 women who desired to work in war or civilian industries if they could find some method of caring for the pre-school-age children.

Mrs. C. N. Westwood presided at the Anne Wilson meeting held at the home of Mrs. A. H. Cox, Joan Crescent. Mrs. Murray Anderson reviewed the chapter's study book. Mrs. H. E. Farquhar led the devotional period. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. N. Whitaker. Election of officers. Tea was served, with Mrs. J. Skellern presiding. Mrs. Murray Anderson and Mrs. D. L. Bowers were appointed to nominating committee.

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Clubwomen's News

First United Young People met Tuesday. The meeting was opened by President Margaret Walker, who gave a brief talk about the Victoria and Lower Island Young People's Rally, of which a First United member, Harold Thayer, has been elected president. Miss Willows showed interesting films which she took on her trip around the world. Meeting next week will be a skating party at the Willows.

Women's Benefit Association met in the S.O.E. Hall Monday evening, the president, Mrs. Stephen, in the chair. Mrs. Mattison, convenor of the bazaar, performed the ceremony.

The bride was given away by her father, and wore a beige wool ensemble with brown accessories and a corsage bouquet of roses and violets. Matron of honor was Mrs. Robert McGregor, wearing blue with a corsage bouquet of pink and white carnations, and Stoker Wakeland, R.C.N.V.R., supported the groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Richards, assisted by Mrs. Ball, the bridegroom's mother, received about 40 guests who attended the wedding and reception. The bridal cake centred the candle-lit supper table, which was arranged with vases of bronze chrysanthemums.

Stoker and Mrs. Ball have taken up residence at 127 Menzies Street.

PETERS—MOBERG

The marriage was solemnized Saturday evening in the vestry of Christ Church Cathedral, when Very Rev. Dean Spencer Elliott united Doris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Moberg, Helliker, Sask., and Cpl. Gordon Peters, R.C.A.F., Balcarres, Sask.

The bride was given away by Mr. Warren, a friend of the groom, formerly of Tientsin, China, and she wore a floor-length gown of blue sheer. A coronet of flowers held her blue veil, and she carried a bouquet of white and pink chrysanthemums and pink roses. Miss Marjorie Moulding, was the bride's only attendant, wearing a floor-length frock of yellow sheer with a matching tulle turban, and carried a spray of yellow and white chrysanthemums. Mr. Hans Myhre supported the groom.

A reception was held in the Dominion Hotel dining-room, where the three-tier wedding cake centred the supper table.

After a honeymoon on the mainland, Cpl. and Mrs. Peters will make their home at 147 Ontario Street. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Clark and son Peter, formerly of Tientsin, China.

COLLIS—LOWDEN

Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunn officiated at the marriage Wednesday evening at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, between Yvonne Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lowden, St. Patrick Street, and LAC. Arthur W. Collis, R.A.F., elder son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Collis, Great Yarmouth, Norfolk, Eng.

The bride was given away in marriage by her father, and wore a white floor-length gown fashioned with a lace bodice, full sheer skirt and bishop sleeves. A coronet of orange blossom held her veil of fine net, and she carried a bouquet of pink chrysanthemums with sprays of white heather. Miss Mary Worsley was bridesmaid, wearing a gown of pale pink sheer over taffeta, with a headdress of pink tulle, and carried a bouquet of pastel shaded chrysanthemums. LAC Neville Trent, R.A.F., supported the groom.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, after which the couple left for a honeymoon on the mainland. For traveling the bride wore a frock of powder blue bunny wool with navy accessories; a fur coat and a corsage bouquet of red roses.

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ESQUIMALT UNITED Y.P.S.
Esquimalt United Y.P.S. met Wednesday evening with Marjorie Preedy presiding. At the conclusion of a short business meeting, Stan North, culture convenor, gave a talk on "The Lives of Writers of Hymns." The singing this Sunday will be at the home of Isobel Kearney. A social night has been arranged for next week.

C.G.I.T. Notes

City-wide C.G.I.T. conference will be held on Saturday and Sunday, Nov. 21 and 22, at the First Baptist Church. Delegates of two girls from each church and all leaders are asked to attend on Saturday. The afternoon program will open at 2 o'clock, and will include a sing-song, games, and discussion under the leadership of Miss Kay Smith, girls' work secretary for B.C. Supper will be served at a nominal charge.

In the evening, plans will be made for the forming of a girls' council, under the direction of Miss Helen McElroy, and the leaders will discuss their problems with Miss Smith. On Sunday evening, a special service will be held at the First Baptist Church when Rev. G. K. Reynolds will preach. All girls and leaders of the city will attend in uniform.

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Groups Endorse I.O.D.E. Plea For Sunday Movies for Forces

TORONTO—Copies of the I.O.D.E. resolution favoring the opening of moving picture theatres to provide free entertainment to uniformed men and women in crowded Canadian centres are being sent to Hon. Maj.-Gen. L. R. LaFleche, Minister of National War Services; Col. J. L. Ralston, Minister of National Defence, and his two associate ministers, Hon. C. J. Power and Hon. Angus MacDonald, for their information.

Release of the full text of the I.O.D.E. resolution, passed by the national executive, clarified misunderstandings which arose when an abbreviated announcement was first made public. The resolution, which was today sent to the film conveners of provincial chapters of the I.O.D.E. reads:

"Whereas the welfare of the fighting forces is our first con-

cern, and whereas the lack of facilities for the care and entertainment of such men and women on Sundays is very evidently causing countless numbers to have to wander the streets aimlessly with results detrimental to personnel and the war effort, and whereas conditions have developed to make immediate action imperative, be it recommended to the National Executive Committee that as a wartime measure only, theatres in certain Canadian cities be opened on Sundays to men and women in uniform and the merchant marine, subject to certain arrangements being made with authorities in the various provinces."

LORD'S DAY ALLIANCE

The national president and the national film convenor pointed out that there is no need to change any existing provincial or federal laws to open moving picture theatres in Canada, provided no admission fee is charged. The order has been assured by the Lord's Day Alliance that if certain restrictions are maintained, and the high value of Canadian Sunday is preserved, there is no law forbidding the showing of movies on Sunday.

It was emphasized that only uniformed men and women and men of the merchant marine would be admitted to the theatres opened, and that the hours for the showing of moving pictures would not conflict with the established hours of church services.

The motion picture industry has assured the I.O.D.E. that they

would not only provide the latest and best moving pictures for the entertainment of the troops, but they will assume all costs of

operators, doormen, ushers, etc.

In several Canadian centres strong local organizations and church groups have endorsed the stand of the I.O.D.E. and have expressed an understanding of the project to provide wholesome entertainment for the troops. A letter from the chairman of the Citizens Committee for Troops in Training, M.D. No. 2, reads: "The committee is definitely of the opinion that moving picture productions of a high standard given in downtown theatres each Sunday afternoon would be most valuable in keeping our men in uniform off the streets of Toronto."

The executive of the Active Service Canteen in Toronto wrote: "We would like to go on record as being in complete sympathy with the efforts of the I.O.D.E. in this regard. After three years of experience in running the Active Service Canteen we should like to stress the great need for entertainment being provided for the thousands of lonely men who roam the streets on Sunday."

The Dominion Secretary of the Canadian Corps Association writes: "I am instructed to write to you on behalf of the Canadian Corps Association heartily endorsing the plan proposed by the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire to open certain of the moving-picture theatres on Sunday, for the entertainment of men and women of the Armed Services and the Merchant Marine."

Several senior officers of military districts have been interviewed by officers of the I.O.D.E. and have expressed their approval of the project. Provincial I.O.D.E. film conveners will talk with other officers commanding military districts and obtain their views. Ministerial groups are also being informed of the plan.

Many bazaars were held throughout the city Wednesday afternoon, church work, various war efforts and philanthropic undertakings receiving a fillip, as the result of the money raised through this ever-popular me- gium.

CHURCH OF OUR LORD
Over \$100 was raised by the W.A. to the Church of Our Lord at the bazaar held in Criddle Memorial Hall Wednesday. Miss A. J. Fawcett, president, was assisted by Mrs. E. Bird in welcoming the guests.

MONTEREY P.T.A. BAZAAR
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A gratifying sum was raised and will be put to good use entertaining for the troops and supporting with donations to the Solarium, and always at Christmas time the Salvation Army. In the evening the members had as special guests to the dance 70 members of the forces.

The stalls did a rapid business in charge of the following: Home cooking, Mrs. M. Haines, Mrs. S. Murray; fancywork, Mrs. N. Mackie, Mrs. M. Harris; aprons, Mrs. J. Hodnett, Mrs. Muriel Smith; chicken dinner, Mrs. M. Gurney, Mrs. A. Harris; games and contests, Mesdames A. Bell, J. Penketh, J. Brien, A. Hooper, E. Lomas; tea arrangements, Mesdames K. Gaiger, V. Green, C. Fairbanks; white elephant, Mrs. B. Haut.

SIR JAMES DOUGLAS P.T.A.

Sir James Douglas P.T.A. held a successful bazaar Wednesday afternoon, netting in the neighborhood of \$300 for the funds. The booths were beautifully decorated in gay colors, and the stage was banked with ferns and autumn flowers. Mrs. W. H. Yardley, president, introduced Mrs. W. H. Wilson, wife of the principal, who formally opened the affair. Mrs. Emmerson Smith, general convenor, was presented with a beautiful bouquet.

Business was brisk at the various stalls. Refreshments were served by the older girls of the school, who looked smart and efficient in their dainty aprons and caps. At the door of the "dog house" was to be seen a line-up of boys and girls, waiting their turn for the ever-popular "hot-dog." The fish pond was well patronized, and the picture show much enjoyed.

On Nov. 28 the P.T.A. will hold a dance.

BRITANNIA BRANCH
A successful silver tea and sale of work of the W.A. the Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, was opened at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. F. C. Mortimer, honorary president, who was presented with a dainty corsage bouquet by Mrs. H. Jarvis, president of the auxiliary.

The attractive stalls did a good business, and included home cooking, in charge of Mrs. D. Swan; fancywork, Mrs. D. Shubrook; novelties, Mrs. R. Hudson; bingo, Mrs. L. Thompson; contests, Mrs. A. Jones; tea tickets, Mrs. R.

Clubwomen's News

The Past Noble Grands' Club will meet at Mrs. A. McCabe's, 1814 Lulie Street, at 8, Friday.

St. Luke's W.A., Cedar Hill, will meet Thursday at 2:30 in the Parish Hall.

R.C.O.C. Women's Auxiliary will meet at the home of Mrs. Walter Putt, 627 Grenville Street, Friday at 2:30.

St. John's W.A. met in school auditorium Tuesday. Mrs. H. Goodwin, president, was in the chair. Rev. G. Biddle gave an address on the church after the war. Miss Mott of Cathedral Branch showed slides on mission work in Canada. Miss Cox was the commentator. Members of Cathedral, St. Mary's and Girls' A were guests. Mrs. Laughlin of the Cathedral and Mrs. Shepherd from St. Mary's thanked St. John's for their hospitality. Refreshments were served.

W.A. of Centennial United Church met in the Sunday schoolroom Tuesday afternoon, the president, Mrs. W. McCague, in the chair. Mrs. Corry announced a concert and sketch the Busy Bees' Circle were putting on Friday at 8. Plans were made for the calendar tea Friday, Dec. 4. Mrs. J. Cox and Mrs. McIvor are in charge. The "Imaginary Anniversary Dinner" proved a great success, the sum of \$73 being taken, which will help the church fund.

A sale of work was held in the Parish Hall Saturday afternoon by St. Luke's W.A., Cedar Hill. The sale was declared open by Mrs. F. J. Brimer, diocesan president of the W.A., who also spoke of the need of interesting more churchwomen in the work of the missionary society, stating that the 1943 program was to include a Dominion-wide campaign for new members. The hall and tea tables were prettily decorated with a profusion of autumn flowers and leaves. The various stalls were under the convenorship of the following: Aprons and fancywork, Mrs. Kingsbury and Mrs. Watkiss, assisted by Mrs. Edmonds; home cooking, Mrs. Lytton and Mrs. Welchman; flowers and plants, Mrs. Maddock and Mrs. Tattersall; superfluities and girls' W.A. work stall, Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Jenkins. Tea was served by Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Eidsforth and Mrs. Price handled the sale of tea tickets. The sum of \$109 was realized.

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Dawes; tea, Mrs. D. Ree. Mrs. T. Bourne assisted Mrs. Jarvis in receiving the guests. Tea was served from tables arranged with vases of pink and mauve chrysanthemums, and there was tea reading.

In the evening cribbage and court whist were played and refreshments were in charge of Mrs. D. Ree, assisted by Mrs. P. Stevenson and Mrs. H. Broadbent.

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Sir James Douglas P.T.A. held a successful bazaar Wednesday afternoon, netting in the neighborhood of \$300 for the funds. The booths were beautifully decorated in gay colors, and the stage was banked with ferns and autumn flowers. Mrs. W. H. Yardley, president, introduced Mrs. W. H. Wilson, wife of the principal, who formally opened the affair. Mrs. Emmerson Smith, general convenor, was presented with a beautiful bouquet.

Business was brisk at the various stalls. Refreshments were served by the older girls of the school, who looked smart and efficient in their dainty aprons and caps. At the door of the "dog house" was to be seen a line-up of boys and girls, waiting their turn for the ever-popular "hot-dog." The fish pond was well patronized, and the picture show much enjoyed.

On Nov. 28 the P.T.A. will hold a dance.

BRITANNIA BRANCH

A successful silver tea and sale of work of the W.A. the Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, was opened at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. F. C. Mortimer, honorary president, who was presented with a dainty corsage bouquet by Mrs. H. Jarvis, president of the auxiliary.

The attractive stalls did a good business, and included home cooking, in charge of Mrs. D. Swan; fancywork, Mrs. D. Shubrook; novelties, Mrs. R. Hudson; bingo, Mrs. L. Thompson; contests, Mrs. A. Jones; tea tickets, Mrs. R.

Social Events**New! 2 Egg Sugarless Cake**

2 1/4 cups sifted Swans Down Cake Flour
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1/4 tsp. salt
1/2 cup butter or other shortening
1 cup light corn syrup
2 eggs, unbeaten
1/2 cup milk
1 1/2 tsps. vanilla

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and stir together three times. Cream shortening; add syrup gradually, beating well after each addition. Add 1/4 cup flour and beat until smooth and well blended. Add eggs, one at a time, beating after each. Add remaining flour in thirds, alternately with milk in halves, beating well after each addition. For best results beat cake very well at each stage of the mixing. Add vanilla. Bake in two greased 8-inch layer pans in moderate oven (375°F) 30 minutes or until done.

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Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

MEMORIES of Victoria hockey in 1929 were revived with the visit to Victoria last week of Joe Smith, former manager of the Victoria Cubs in old Pacific Coast Hockey League. Fans will remember the Cubs as the successors to the Cougars after the Patricks disposed of the Western Canada Hockey Association teams' lock, stock and barrel to eastern interests. Joe, who had experienced success with amateur clubs in Vancouver, came to Victoria to handle the Cubs but only stuck it out in the pro job for one season.

Smith is now located in a naval job in San Francisco. He was the veteran of the United States navy in the last war. His visit here was the occasion of a family reunion—his wife coming from Toronto and his son, John Smith, who is with the United States navy, flew here to be with his parents. Another son, Cecil, is in New Mexico with the U.S. air force. After leaving Victoria the Smiths went to Hollywood, then to Cannes, in France, where they lived for three years, getting out just before the outbreak of war.

It certainly is strange to look at the major hockey standings and see the New York Rangers resting in last place. How the mighty have fallen! Looking at the goal averages we note where the Rangers have scored 26 goals and had the large number of 44 scored against in only seven, or better than six per contest. This makes us wonder just how long Steven Rudolph Buzinski is going to remain between the pipes for the blue shirts.

This little fellow, who would have to carry lead in each hand to weigh more than 140 pounds, appears one of the most forlorn figures to come up in big time hockey in many years. For 16 years the Rangers have been a name to conjure with in the glistening game. Lester Patrick is considered the smartest man in the dode, and when he bobbed up with Buzinski as the successor to Sugar Jim Henry, everyone suspected he would have another ace to show them. Hadn't the Rangers had such illustrious

players as Lorne Chabot, John Ross Roach and Davey Kerr?

During training, Buzinski has been a distinct disappointment except on two appearances at home when he beat Canadiens and Chicago, both in overtime. By now the boys around the circuit must be calling him "Sieve" instead of Steve. But Patrick has not given up yet.

"You forget the great Charley Gardiner when he first came up," said Patrick. "Gardiner resembled a sieve in early appearances. He was relieved several times before settling down to be one of the best of all time. Johnny Mowers of Detroit is rated highly today, but only last season the Rangers beat him, 11 to 2."

During training, Buzinski was like a cat at the net. He has a fine pair of hands, moves rapidly and has excellent reflexes. He has confidence in himself.

Even after those terrific defeats—29 goals were scored on him in three games for a new modern high—he was certain he could

Speaking of systems for beating the ponies, this one originated years ago on a swirling Long Island train. The conductor, manoeuvring to punch Bob Rochon's ticket, missed it, and punched a hole in the newspaper he was reading instead. The practice has been going on ever since. The train is barely out of the wilde of Merrick when the conductor punches Rochon's ticket and newspaper.

All this time Rochon has waited for the punch to hit a number or the name of a horse.

He couldn't wait until he got to his office when it happened the other morning. Yes, sir! There was the hole. Smack dab through the name of Woodsman in the fifth at Sportsman's Park at Chicago. Rochon, who has been listening to office touts longer than he cares to remember, gave the hide to everybody in the place, but would not reveal the source of his information.

Woodsman came down in front at \$16.50.

There is one less bookie to annoy Butch LaGuardia.

He was struck by a Long Island train.

Ryan Defends R.C.A.F.

Rugby Union to Blame

By CHARLES EDWARDS

TORONTO (CP)—In all the controversy over the R.C.A.F. ruling no air force football team may play after Dec. 1 and consequent derailing of the Grey Cup championship special, one familiar voice has been missing—that of Joe Ryan, long-time manager of Winnipeg Blue Bombers now employed at Ottawa.

But football is in Joe's blood and he dropped in on Bill (Ottawa Journal) Westwick with the comment: "It is a great shame that the air force must be indicted at this stage after a contribution to sport in general which seems forgotten by some writers in the heat of an argument centring solely around a final. I know that out in Winnipeg the R.C.A.F. has been most co-operative in helping keep the game alive."

"I have an idea that if Canadian Rugby Union officials had dropped down to Ottawa and discussed the situation all this controversy might have been avoided. I'd say that it might not be frayed out satisfactorily even at this stage. It seems to me there has been a misunderstanding leading to the decision made by R.C.A.F. authorities."

DOUBLE ACHE

Goalie Jim Henry of Ottawa Commandos was suffering with a severe toothache when Commandos beat Montreal Royals 9 to 1 in the Quebec Senior Hockey League last Saturday. Young Jean Paul Renaud, Royals' goalkeeper, observed: "A toothache at one end of the rink and a headache at the other."

Bill (Niagara Falls Review) Gaynor says Annie Stukus' feet in scoring all Toronto Oakwoods points as they beat the mighty Toronto Hurricanies 15 to 6 in the Ontario Rugby Football Union should be considered when the experts vote on the year's greatest individual sport performance. "But so often surroundings determine such questions, only members of championship teams being considered. It's a safe guess the Stukus accomplishment will be sidetracked."

LEAFS SIGN AMATEUR

TORONTO (CP)—Signing of 18-year-old Jack Ingoldsby, right-winger, by Toronto Maple Leafs of the National Hockey League was announced Wednesday by coach Clarence (Happy) Day. Ingoldsby, a Toronto boy, played with De La Salle Juniors here last season, and this season was slated to play with Marlboro Juniors.

Player Slicing Would Change Hockey Style

By HUGH FULLERTON

NEW YORK AP—National

Hockey League officials are talking (one of the best things they do) about reducing the player limit to 13 men. This is important mainly because hockey is the first sport to feel the real wallop of the war. What happens to it now may happen to the others later.

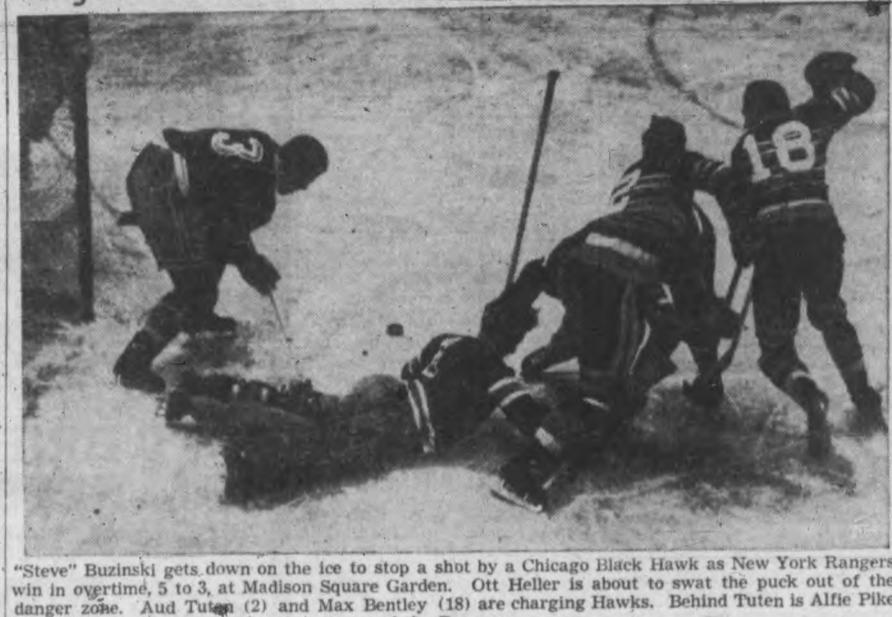
The change may or may not equalize the strength of the teams, as Art Ross claims, but it surely would cause some changes in the way they play the game. The managers could either reduce their defence strength, keep three forward lines in action and go in for heavy scoring, or they could cut out the third line and return to the slower game of a decade ago, when a hockey team was 12 men. Come to think of it, the Bruins have done all right with only 13 men in their last few games. Can you imagine the effect if other sports start cutting football squads two deep, 16-man baseball squads, etc. But it's the one way of spreading out the available manpower.

ATHLETE DRAWS AWARD

Although bowl talk is taboo at Boston College, word is that the B.C. Seniors would prefer the Orange Bowl to the sugar ditto because they've visited New Orleans three times but never have seen Miami. Eboher Wrona, Michigan's woman speed skater, recently was awarded a \$1,000 war bond by the Saginaw, Mich., defence plant where she works, for figuring out how to save 470 man-hours a month in manufacturing machine guns. Still cutting the corners close, eh? . . . Pete Reiser, the Dodgers' outfielder, is undergoing treatment in St. Louis for the after-effects of that bump on the head he got last summer. Jim Hendy and Clem White, hockey drumbeaters at Madison Square Garden, have donated the "Hendy-White" trophy—a large black comb—to be awarded the player who finishes the season with his hair least disarranged.

A workout of the V.M.D. football team will be held at the Sports Centre this evening at 7. All players are asked to turn out.

Rangers Win in Overtime



"Steve" Buzinski gets down on the ice to stop a shot by a Chicago Black Hawk as New York Rangers win in overtime, 5 to 3, at Madison Square Garden. Ott Heller is about to swat the puck out of the danger zone. And Tuten (2) and Max Bentley (18) are charging Hawks. Behind Tuten is Alfie Pike of the Rangers.

Keating Elected President of Lawn Bowlers

J. T. Keating was elected president of the Victoria Lawn Bowling Club at the annual meeting held recently. Other officers were elected as follows: Honorary president, J. F. Bledsoe; vice-president, T. I. Smellie; secretary, J. Morton; treasurer, W. M. Halliday; executive committee, H. A. Beckwith, Fred Smith, John Goldie, E. W. Pitman, G. A. Marconi, F. R. Exham, E. G. Mason, J. Lime, H. N. Gahan, A. Phillips, F. V. Sellers, retiring president, is also an ex-officio member of the committee.

Keating, in reviewing the activities of the year, recalled that in the Greater Victoria inter-club games, the Victoria Club had won both the Cameron-Nicol and Whitney cups.

The secretary-treasurer's report showed that in spite of a reduction in membership and heavy expenditure on the greens, there was still a balance on the right side of the ledger.

A hearty vote of thanks was passed to the greenkeeper, J. M. McAllister, for his work in improving the greens and bringing them to first class condition. A tangible recognition was also given in a cheque for \$75 contributed by members of the club in a benefit game.

H. A. Beckwith, F. V. Sellers and T. L. Smellie were appointed delegates to the Greater Victoria Association, and John Goldie and H. A. Beckwith to the B.C. Lawn Bowling Association.

Annual prizes were presented as follows:

Wilkinson Shield—doubles (Interclub)—1, S. Barr and A. Wallace, C.P.R.; 2, W. Wallace and R. Stewart, V.W.; 3, Smith and Hall, V.W.; 4, Cattroll and Jeffrey, Victoria.

Club singles—1, T. L. Smellie; 2, W. J. MacAllan.

Club doubles—1, J. H. Cattroll, E. F. Fox.

Club triples—G. A. Marconi, H. A. Beckwith, J. C. Eastwood.

Novice singles—A. Phillips.

Veterans' singles—1, T. York; 2, F. R. Exham.

Veterans' doubles—T. York, W. J. Farmer.

Veterans' rinks—E. G. Mason, W. J. MacAllan, W. M. Halliday and C. Lawrence.

Totem police mixed doubles—1, H. A. Stewart and Mrs. Melville; 2, D. Breckenridge and Mrs. Munro.

The top of a new coffee table can be tilted to serve as a reading stand, or raised along its support for playing games, and a number of other uses.

Trojans Smash Oregon



Quarterback Bob Musick, centre, of the University of Southern California, was but one of the many Trojan backs to romp through the University of Oregon team in the Los Angeles Coliseum. He's shown going through a hole in the Oregon line in the first quarter. U.S.C. won 40 to 7. All players are asked to turn out.

Art Ross Sponsors Move For Hockey Retrenchment

Montreal Negro Captures Fight in London Ring

By ALLAN NICKELSON

LONDON (CP)—When Cpl. Arnold Hayes puts his mind to it, he's a fair sort of fighter. But when he's not in the mood, the Montreal Negro can look mighty bad.

Holder of the Canadian Army Overseas light-heavyweight boxing crown, Arnold was in the groove against Jack Smith, a Worcester lad who hadn't had a serious fight since he came out of Dunkirk, and took an eight-round decision at London's Victoria All-Services Club.

For Arnold, who put up a disappointing show in the quarterfinals of the British Army championships at York last March, it was perhaps his most convincing win.

"Rose" won't be there in person, because he has vowed never to attend a board of governors' meeting while Frank Calder remains league president. Ross reached that decision after a stormy controversy with New York Rangers over possession of Angus (Scotty) Cameron, centre of the Regina Rangers' Allan Cup team in 1940-41. Instead, the Boston proposal will be brought before the board of governors at a meeting in New York next week.

Ross, regarded as a comer before the war, shook the six-foot Montrealer badly with one stiff right to the jaw, but was out of practice and couldn't quite cope with the rushing, swinging tactics of his grim opponent.

An uppercut that began near the canvas won the main bout of the card for Eric Boon, British light-weight champion. He knocked out Jake Kilrain of Glasgow in the second round of a scheduled 10-rounder. It was an unpopular, surprise finish to a tilt that started on a slow, cautious note.

Kilrain, former British welter king engaged in a comeback, collapsed on the floor, writhing in pain from the blow, and the crowd booed, believing the thrust low. The packed house also vented disapproval of the match in the opening heat when the fighters were twice called to a halt and warned against holding.

Kilrain was convinced the knockout blow was low; Boon found it one of the finest blows he ever sunk.

WILDE BEATEN

Something almost failed to click in the Army cage attack, Wednesday night, but the soldiers did show enough class to nip the Navy basketball team, 19 to 16, at the Sports Centre.

After forcing the R.C.A.F. into overtime in the first game of the season and then watching the airmen, Saturday, whip the sailors with ease, Army were supposed to be not favorites to coast past the matelots.

However, the Navy got in there and checked like demons the whole evening and did not give the soldiers chance to roll. Although it tended to ragged play, it did stop the Army from gaining momentum.

At the half Army held a 10 to 7 lead and had trouble maintaining it for the rest of the game.

Doug Peden and Gordie Patterson, each with five points, topped their scoring. Taylor, with five

in the senior B game. C. Handy scored 12 points to lead West Road to a 31-29 win over the Army entry. In this opener, a

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CHAPTER NO. 10 **"THE RIDERS OF DEATH VALLEY"** ARLINE JUDGE **Law of the Jungle** MARY PICTURE

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Identity even of wife No. 1 remains a mystery. Letters written home to England to friends and relatives by the hero of Queenston Heights fail to reveal the existence of Mrs. Brock. Even in his funeral procession, of which a detailed diagram exists, none of the chief mourners is a woman.

The whole situation may provide some enterprising student with a subject for a thesis— who was Mrs. Brock?

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11-Year-Old Bags Deer



Dennis Kempton, 11, pictured with the four-pointer buck he bagged at Happy Valley Sunday. Dennis who goes hunting regularly with his father, W. W. Kempton, at 3150 Harriet, uses a .22 calibre high-powered rifle. He got the deer pictured above with a single shot, and has one other buck to his credit this season, having bagged one the preceding Sunday.

New York Dancer Thrills Audience

Fulfilling enthusiastic advance reports from all over the continent, Miriam Marmein of New York, mime and dancer, last night gave a splendid performance in a diverse and unusual field, under the auspices of the Victoria Musical Arts Society, in the ballroom of the Empress Hotel.

Playing with Miss Marmein was Dorothy Eustis, concert pianist, who is accompanying the dancer on her tour. The young Seattle musician was more than just an accompanist. Her quick understanding of the dancer's interpretative moods, and her ability to arrange music written for violin or drums into piano score revealed finished musicianship.

Miss Marmein opened with two Bach interpretations, the first, a prophecy of the coming of Christ to the majestic music of the Toccata in D Minor; the second, Air for the G String, revealing the fulfillment of the promise by the "Madonna".

Another Biblical story, "Death of the First Born," was dramatized to drum accompaniment by the artist who composes her own costumes, dances and sometimes music.

The real forte of the mime is her caricature. "La Ballerine" combining the dance of the pagan goddess with the studied affectations of 19th century ballet, is a typical example; and Victor Herbert's music was particularly appropriate for the "Get Your Man—1892 Version."

Mention must be made of the aesthetic and ethereal Chopin interpretation, "The Fountain," in which the artist's play of hands alone provided the expression of the dance.

Playing during intermission a selection of piano pieces, which she played recently with the Seattle Symphony under Sir Thomas Beecham, Miss Eustis provided a rare treat for Victoria music lovers. "Intermezzo in B Flat Minor," Capriccio in B Minor and "Ballade in D Major," composed the first group by Brahms, and as an encore the Etude in C Minor (ocean), by Chopin.

Music ranged from Bach, Ravel, Suk to Delibes and Herbert, and the tempo of the dance from tragedy to humor, but in all performances a high standard was maintained, providing the audience with one of the most enjoyable concerts of the season.

Mrs. E. W. Hetherington, president of the Musical Arts Society, introduced the artist, and entertained Miss Marmein and Miss Eustis in her home after the performance.

CAPITOL THEATRE

If you've kept an ear to the movie ground, you'll know that one of the funniest stories ever written for films is currently at the Capitol Theatre, where Paramount is presenting its hilarious comedy, "The Major and the Minor."

The picture, which co-stars Ginger Rogers and Ray Milland, is reputed to be a riot of laughs and unusual situations, all of which stem from Ginger's masquerade as a 12-year-old so she can get from New York to her Iowa home by train on half-price.

Milland, a Major who teaches at a military academy, becomes embarrassingly involved when he helps her to elude the suspicious conductors by taking her into his own compartment. His gullible acceptance of Ginger's fantastic stories — the romantic complications that develop when his fiancee discovers Ginger in his berth and it becomes necessary for him to take Ginger to the academy to prove that she is really only a "minor" — all add up to one of the grandest comedies ever.

Hence, piece No. 3, not wife No. 3.

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Where to Go Tonight

(As Advertised)

ATLAS—George Formby in "South American George."

CADET—"The Great Man's Lady," starring Barbara Stanwyck.

CAPITOL—Ginger Rogers, in "The Major and the Minor."

DOMINION—"The Big Street" starring Henry Fonda and Lucille Ball.

OAK BAY AND PLAZA—"Between Us Girls," starring Diana Barrymore.

RIO—Top Sergeant Mulligan, starring Nat Pendleton.

YORK—Katherine Hepburn in "The Philadelphia Story."

Dominion Picture Salute to Airmen

Pat O'Brien, Glenn Ford and Evelyn Keyes come to the Dominion Theatre tomorrow in what has been hailed by Hollywood as one of the year's most thrilling service pictures, Columbia's "Flight Lieutenant." A story of the men who fly like angels and fight like demons, "Flight Lieutenant" was directed by Sidney Salkow from Michael Blankfort's screen play. B. P. Schulberg produced the new action hit, and important minor players include such well-known character actors as Jonathan Hale, Minor Watson, John Gailaudet, Larry Parks and Frank Puglia.

The "forgotten men" of the air—the test pilots—come into their own in "Flight Lieutenant," along with what are said to be sharply incisive scenes showing other phases of present-day aeronautics. Appearing as a flying hero of World War I who finds himself ignored by the aces and ace cadets of World War II, Pat O'Brien traces the gallantry aloft which has made the eagle's wings so fast and so powerful.



JOHN GARFIELD in "Dangerously They Live," now at the York Theatre.

Philadelphia Story' On York Screen

The infallible formula that "practice makes perfect" was put to good use during the preparation and filming of "The Philadelphia Story," picturization of Katharine Hepburn's New York comedy stage success, which stars her with Cary Grant and James Stewart, and comes today to the York Theatre for an engagement of three days.

The play, which carried through 32 consecutive weeks, 416 performances, certainly was publicized. The audiences that packed the Shubert Theatre laughed plenty, and since the world of today hungers for good laughs, Director George Cukor was anxious that none of them be lost in the film version.

Hence, the studio did a novel thing. Into the theatre went microphones, and then, one evening when the cast was not aware of the fact, the entire production was recorded on a sound track. The result was a record of a free and easy performance by players who knew where every laugh was available and how to get it.

"South American George" at Atlas

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Victoria Folk, Places Crowd Emily Carr's New Book

Emily Carr, noted Victoria artist, whose book "Klee Wyck" won the Governor-General's award for nonfiction in 1941, was today receiving congratulations at her home, Government Street, on the national publication of her second volume, "The Book of Small." She has dedicated it to Ira Dilworth.

This is the story of her childhood, with backward glances to the days of her father's arrival from England and his establishment in business. The canvas is crowded with Victoria people, her own family, mother, sisters, aunts, neighbors, friends, clergy and runs the gamut from genteel people of Victoria's early high society to the less reputable frequenters of the saloons and roadhouses, seen through the sharp eyes of a little girl.

"It is a book for adults, grown-ups, all those of us who look back to that other self we were a score or two or even three score or more years ago," writes the Oxford University press critic. "When Emily Carr writes about the common experiences of childhood, we share her more vivid experiences; when she writes of another day and age than ours, she relates it imaginatively for us."

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EMILY CARR

Says Victorians Pay Too Much For Electricity

Pioneer days of public utilities in Victoria were recalled today at the discussion of B.C. Electric Railways Affairs before the Public Utilities Commission, under chairmanship of Dr. W. A. Carruthers, in the Courthouse.

In 1905 the B.C. Electric took over the Victoria Gas Co., Forrest L. Shaw, Victoria City solicitor, recalled.

In those days, S. R. Weston, chief engineer to the commission, who made an appraisal of B.C. Electric properties, said the company was owned in England and managed on the spot. Then companies didn't know what depreciation reserves were.

Mr. Shaw said a tar extractor, bought in Vancouver in 1907, had been transferred to Victoria in 1938 and the Victoria branch had been charged \$2,536 for it. Mr. Weston said this was less depreciation-transfers in every case were less depreciation.

PART EFFICIENCY

"We want efficiency and we can't have it if we take a lot of Vancouver stuff that is second hand," Mr. Shaw said.

Mr. Weston explained transferred equipment was not inefficient, but had grown inadequate in capacity for growing needs of Vancouver.

"You wouldn't say they were giving us discarded equipment?"

Mr. Shaw asked, and Mr. Weston replied, "I wouldn't say so."

Replying to a question from Mr. Shaw, Mr. Weston said the B.C. Electric paid \$922 a year in taxes on its Gorge Park, and the only direct revenue he could find was \$100 a year in rent.

Prof. E. S. Farr, on behalf of the city, is presenting three briefs on electricity, transportation and gas.

"In accounting statements, the electric service throughout British Columbia is shown to have enjoyed increasing profits over the 5-year period ending June, 1939," said the brief on electricity. "On Vancouver Island south, after depreciation, the sums available to meet income taxes, interest on bonded debt and dividends on stock are \$748,020, \$788,764, \$812,365, \$865,855 and \$890,051, respectively. Accepting for the moment the figures given for depreciated original cost (\$7,095,890), the new profit available for the payment of interest and dividends in the years under review, years that were not outstanding for general business prosperity, runs from 10.5 to 12.5 per cent on this depreciated original cost.

Harvey testified Hall was the only person who had refunded money to the government in cases under review during his investigation. He further stated Hall had not tried to deceive him or hide anything and that the company's other business with the government amounted to \$17,000, apart from the breeches deal.

Henderson introduced a document he suggested took the form of a statement from the supply firm covering receipt of goods. The document had not been returned by Hall, he said.

J. B. Clearhuike, K.C., crown prosecutor, said it dealt with sales tax provisions.

Wm. Jackson, an employee at Hall & Co. Ltd. in October last year, testified he had picked up the cheque from the treasury department.

Sun Would Burn Up In 5,000 Years If Made of Coal

According to Dr. G. Volkoff, assistant professor of physics at the University of British Columbia, the sun would consume itself in 5,000 years if it were made of coal. He mentioned this to the Victoria branch of the Royal Astronomical Society at its regular monthly meeting Wednesday evening. His subject was "Sources of Stellar Energy."

Dr. Volkoff spoke chiefly on the sun and said there was no other known substance which could give off energy at the same rate as the sun and not be consumed.

He could not recall who had asked for the urgent stamp on the voucher in question, he said, but, knowing Hall for years, he had applied it as a friendly move.

W. F. Bridge, in the Attorney-General's Department, had asked for rushed orders previously, as had many others in different departments, but he had not asked for the cheque in question, witness said.

John Harvey, deputy Comptroller-General for B.C., continued testimony today. He said the matter of the order for 200 pairs of breeches from Hall & Co. Ltd. had come to his attention particularly after Hall's letter explaining they could not be supplied.

JUST EXPLANATION

He had not considered the explanation a question of deceit or fraud so much as an explanation of something he had not previously understood, he said.

Harvey testified he knew of no cases of prepayment by the government for goods, but said he had heard the goods were paid for before actual physical delivery was made. That was the case, he understood, in cloth at Gordon Campbell Ltd., Vancouver, made for the government and kept in the firm's warehouse.

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Victoria Dimout Causes Only Minor Difficulties

Greater Victoria awoke this morning apparently with no bad effects after the first night of a dimout which now shrouds the Pacific coast from Mexico to Alaska.

Fire department officials said they found the new pump efficient in every way and are awaiting delivery of at least one more similar machine. Capable of pumping 500 gallons a minute, only 300 gallons less than a regular department pump, the new machine is capable of ejecting streams from a pair of two and one-half inch hoses.

It is powered by a Ford V-8 motor and can be towed trailer fashion behind a truck or car. Manufactured by Bickle-Seagrove, it is equipped with an axe, crowbar, portable lantern and has storage space for 500 feet of hose.

This pump is a large improvement over smaller ones received by the department in past months which pump only 150 gallons a minute.

Arrangements for sending of the units were made by Inspector S. F. M. Moodie of the Provincial A.R.P. Alderman Wills thanked him for his assistance in getting this type of equipment for the area.

Passmore, Warren Contest Saanich Reeveship

The first contest for public office in any of the municipalities of Greater Victoria, at elections next month, was disclosed today with the announcement of L. H. Passmore that he would run against Acting Reeve E. C. Warren for the reeveship of Saanich.

Acting Reeve Warren, for many years Ward 2 representative on the council, who assumed the reeveship upon the death of Reeve J. R. Scoby last spring, announced at Tuesday's council meeting he would stand for election.

Mr. Passmore was reeve in 1941, being narrowly defeated by the late Mr. Scoby in the last municipal elections. Prior to that he served six years as Ward 7 representative and one year on the school board.

All councillors will stand for re-election. They are John Watson, Ward 1; L. Hobbs, Ward 3; George Austin, Ward 4; John Oliver, Ward 5; L. Hagan, Ward 6, and K. W. Richmond, Ward 7. No candidate has yet come forward to run for councillor in Ward 2.

When Mr. Warren assumed the reeveship last spring no by-election was held to elect a Ward 2 councillor.

Slow-down Denied At Up-island Mines

VANCOUVER—Sensational reports originating in the Vancouver News-Herald and alleging "slow-down among miners, affecting production in Vancouver Island coal mines," were denied today by Tom McCloy, representing District 18, United Mine Workers of America, following an investigation at Nanaimo and Cumb.

"There is no general slow-down taking place in Island coal mines," he said. "It was just a newspaper story."

"There is some evidence of a drop in production at No. 8 mine in Nanaimo, but it cannot be said there is any concerted move among the miners to reduce production. Any drop in production there is not so serious as to deserve the publicity given to it the last week or so."

"Had 1,200 Island miners are still dissatisfied with the War Labor Board decision denying them increases to a scale equal to the wage rates paid miners in the Crows Nest area."

"We may have to take further steps with street lights," the inspector said. "I cannot tell whether precautions already taken are sufficient."

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OBITUARY

TAYLOR — The death occurred this morning of David E. Taylor of 1108 Cook Street. Mr. Taylor was born in Pittmead, Scotland, and had lived here for 29 years. He leaves one sister in Scotland. His wife predeceased him two years ago. The remains are at the Sands Mortuary from where funeral arrangements will be announced later.

LUGRIN—Mrs. Lugrin Shaw of the Old West Farm, Saanich, has received word of the death of her aunt, Miss Mary Lugrin, who died in Lowell, Mass., Oct. 28. A descendant of United Empire Loyalists, she was the youngest daughter of the late Charles K. Lugrin, King's Printer of Fredericton, N.B., and sister of the late Charles H. Lugrin, one-time editor of the Colonist. The funeral took place from the Fredericton Cathedral.

EDWARD — The death occurred at St. Joseph's Hospital Wednesday of Peter Low Edward, 77, of 426 Arnold Street. Mr. Edward was born in Perth, Scotland, and had lived here for 21 years. Surviving are his widow; three sons, James and William N. at the family residence, and Sgt. John A. Edward, in the U.S.; one daughter, Mrs. T. L. Pickell, and two grandchildren, Dr. St. John, B.C., and two sisters, Mrs. J. Yule and Mrs. G. Sidsler, Newark, N.J. The remains are at Sands Mortuary, from where funeral services will be held Friday at 2, Rev. Hugh A. McLeod officiating. Interment at Royal Oak.

SHARPE—Rev. N. E. Smith will conduct the funeral service for Arthur W. Sharpe Friday afternoon at 2.30 in the Thomson Funeral Home. The funeral will be under the auspices of Victoria Columbia Lodge, No. 1, A.F. & A.M. Interment at Colwood.

BOND—Joseph Haegert conducted funeral service for Allan Bond Wednesday in the Thomson Funeral Chapel. Pallbearers were H. Knight, G. S. Harris, P. G. Millman, and W. E. Bond. Interment at Royal Oak.

DR. MANION—Dr. R. J. Manion, director of civil air raid precautions in the Department of Pensions and National Health, in Victoria today on a short inspection tour, praised A.R.P. organizations on the coast.

Dr. Manion said he did not care to discuss A.R.P. policy but said however British Columbia was getting a fair share of equipment as it was made available for A.R.P. use by the manufacturers.

The Canadian A.R.P. head said it was unlikely the government would make the purchase of gas masks, to be distributed in Victoria soon, compulsory or make any regulations about carrying gas masks.

DR. MANION—Dr. R. J. Manion was accompanied by W. C. Mainwaring, chairman of the advisory council, Provincial Civilian Protection Committee; Insp. S. F. M. Moodie, provincial civilian protection officer, and T. F. Daggs, administrative officer of the Provincial Civilian Protection Committee.

This morning the officers met the City Council war board and A.R.P. officials in the office of Mayor Andrew McGavin, and the reeves and A.R.P. controllers of the three neighboring municipalities.

Before returning to the mainland this afternoon he inspected a vault which will be used to house objects and documents formerly displayed at the Provincial Archives.

WOMEN M.L.A.'S ENTER BY-ELECTION FIGHT

Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A., will leave Victoria tomorrow to take part in the Nov. 25 by-election in Salmon Arm, made necessary by the death of Hon. R. W. Bruhn.

She will join Mrs. Tilly Riston, the other woman coalition M.L.A. Members of the cabinet taking part in the campaign, in support of Mayor Cyril Thomson of Salmon Arm, are Premier John Hart, Attorney-General R. L. Maitland, Public Works Minister Herbert Anscomb, Agriculture Minister K. C. MacDonald, Education Minister H. G. T. Perry.

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BROOKLYN (AP)—Leo Durocher, manager of Brooklyn Dodgers for the last four years, today was renamed to that position for 1943 by President Branch Rickey.

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De La Vigerie Joins De Gaulle

LONDON (CP)—Gen. d' Astier de la Vigerie, who held one of the highest commands in the French air force, has joined Gen. Charles de Gaulle in London.

De La Vigerie, whose rank is equivalent to that of an R.A.F. air marshal, arrived Wednesday with Leon Morandat, prominent French trade unionist and a leading figure in the underground anti-Axis movement.

He said in an interview that he had decided Dec. 7 last to "do something" about rejoining the Canadian army, with which he served in the first Great War.

(Dec. 7, 1941, was the day on which the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbor.)

Maj. Massey added, "I am tired of talking, and now I want to do something." His son, Geoffrey, is training with the R.C.A.F. at Toronto.

Maj. Massey, born at Toronto in 1896, comes of early American stock and of a family whose members have been patrons of education and the arts in Canada. A brother, Hon. Vincent Massey, is Canadian High Commissioner to Great Britain.

Maj. Massey was a lieutenant in the Canadian Field Artillery at 19 and saw action during the first Great War. He was wounded at Ypres in 1916, and while convalescing during 1917 was sent to Yale and Princeton universities as instructor in field artillery. In 1918 he served in Siberia.

(Two years ago Maj. Massey appeared in Victoria at the Royal Victoria Theatre in "Abe Lincoln in Illinois.")

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**3 Trustees Seek
Return; 4 Aldermen
Ask Re-election**

Victoria's three school trustees whose terms expire at the end of the year today jointly announced their candidature for re-election at the civic elections Dec. 10.

They are Trustees Mrs. A. S. Christie, chairman of the education committee, who is completing her fifth year in office, Austin Curtis, chairman of the finance committee, who is finishing his first two-year term, and Dr. G. A. B. Hall, member of the finance committee, who is winding up the first year of his return to public office.

In the City Council field, four of five sitting aldermen have announced their candidature for re-election and Mrs. Alice McGregor is regarded as a strong probability in the field with Mrs. A. C. Ross, prominent member of the Local Council of Women.

Aldermen already announced include W. L. Morgan, John A. Worthington, P. E. George and D. D. McTavish. Alderman Archie Wills, fifth of the five whose terms end this year, has not yet made an announcement.

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**Women Going
To Tory Convention
Talk Organization**

By JAMES McCOOK

OTTAWA (CP)—Women supporters of the Conservative Party will attend the National Conservative Convention at Winnipeg Dec. 9, 10 and 11 as part of the general membership. They may leave it with a women's national organization to lead and direct their party work from coast to coast.

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**Eczema Itch
Stopped in 7 Minutes**

Soldiers Commended For Work in Bracing Ship's Bulkheads

LONDON (CP) — Eighteen Canadian soldiers have been commended in Canadian army routine orders for distinguished conduct when the ship in which they were crossing the Atlantic was damaged in a collision.

The stem of the troopship was damaged above and below the waterline by a collision with another vessel in a convoy bound for England.

The troopship was forced to leave the convoy because the captain feared the forward bulkheads of chain lockers might give way. When volunteers were called to help brace up the bulkheads, the 18 Canadians responded.

They included: L. Cpl. E. P. Hogan, Nelson, B.C.; W. Lehmann, Mailandville, B.C.; Trs. O. Lawrence, Vancouver, and N. Swift, Vernon, B.C., all of the headquartermen's squadron of the 3rd Canadian Armored Brigade.

Orders said the men gained access to the chain lockers through a manhole in the forecastle, and for more than seven hours they worked in small groups in an ill-ventilated, restricted space, knowing there was little chance of escape if the bulkheads yielded or if the ship were attacked by the enemy.

The commander-in-chief of the 1st Canadian Army has directed that these acts of distinguished conduct be recognized by promulgation of this order and recorded on these soldiers' conduct sheets," the order concluded.

Export Permits For Canned Fish

Maj. J. A. Motherwell, chief supervisor of fisheries in B.C., announces that export permits now are required in the case of all varieties of canned fish, except in the case of canned salmon and canned herring, for shipment to the British Ministry of Food. Applications for export permits for the British Empire or United States should be forwarded to the supervisor's office in Vancouver where permits will be issued.

Applications for export permits

Practice Bomb Hits House



Aftermath of the accidental bombing by an R.A.F. plane, Tuesday, of James Muldoon's house, Halliburton Road, Saanich, is pointed out left above, by Saanich Police Chief J. Bull. The chief is pointing to a hole ripped in the kitchen floor of Mr. Muldoon's house by the practice bomb on its way to the basement. The bomb crashed through the roof, kitchen ceiling, floor and finally buried itself in the dirt floor of the basement. Right, Cpl. Cecil Pearce of the Saanich police, holds the 10-pound bomb that caused damage to Mr. Muldoon's house. It was an identical bomb that narrowly missed Mrs. A. Bramhall while working in her house on Cordova Bay Road.

Men Reacted to 'Plenty of Boats'

By ROSS MUNRO

SOMEWHERE IN ENGLAND (CP) — The slogan and byword at headquarters of a squadron of the Canadian 3rd Armored Brigade now is: "Don't worry, there are plenty of lifeboats."

These were the words of the officer commanding to his men immediately after the troopship bringing the squadron to the United Kingdom was damaged in a collision during darkness somewhere in the Atlantic.

The men rallied to the O.C.'s words and in repairing the damaged vessel, 18 so distinguished themselves they have since been mentioned for distinguished conduct in orders of the Canadian Army Overseas.

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The troopship's bow was smashed in the collision. Water poured into the forward part of the troopship, smashing one bulkhead, but the chain locker bulkhead held, though bulging and threatening to break at any moment.

Volunteers were called to shore the bulkhead with timbers and 18 Canadians stepped forward.

Along the slippery deck the Canadians dragged heavy timbers, cut them to the right size and passed them below the forecastle into the hot, narrow chain locker, eight feet by eight, where several men were stripped to the waist bracing the timbers against the bulkhead.

Doing the most perilous work in the chain locker were Lance Corporals E. P. Hogan of Nelson, B.C., and W. Lehmann of Mailandville, B.C., with Troopers J. M. Ewing of Medicine Hat, Alta., and E. J. Godin of London, Ont., all members of the headquarters' squadron of the Third Canadian Armored Brigade.

Admiral Freeman came to the 13th District in 1940 and has watched his command develop during the significant prewar and wartime days that followed, until it occupies an important part in the military strategy of the United States.

His successor was chief of staff of the Asiatic fleet from 1931 to 1933, when he became aide to the secretary of the navy. In 1939 he went to sea as commander of a cruiser division and has served at sea continuously since then.

Admiral Freeman frequently visited Victoria and was last here some weeks ago, when he attended the formal opening of Canada's new naval college at Royal Roads.

Overseas Letter Plan

MONTREAL (CP) — Members of the Canadian National Railways Employees' War Services Association are inaugurating a plan in which they will take turns in writing letters to fellow employees in the armed forces overseas. Hector LaPointe, president of the association, announces.

Churchill Thanks Canadians for Loan

OTTAWA (CP) — Prime Minister Churchill in a message made public today sent his "warmest congratulations" to Canadians for their response to the Third Victory Loan campaign in which a \$750,000,000 issue was heavily oversubscribed.

The message, which came to Prime Minister Mackenzie King, said in part:

"I have heard of the success of the Canadian Third Victory Loan and of the great response which the Canadian people have made. I send them through you my warmest congratulations."

"Canada's unbending will to share to the full the burden and sacrifices of the war is manifest. She has accepted the challenge which threatens all freedom-loving peoples alike and her people have given proof of their readiness to make every contribution to victory which victory demands."

The pack by species, with last year's figures in brackets, follows: Sockeye 604,884 (454,310); springs 22,809 (50,056); steelhead 4,588 (3,431); bluebacks 23,254 (30,011); coho 187,341 (360,142); pinks 269,222 (427,678); chum 601,497 (883,818).

Program Set For Navy Week

Commodore W. J. R. Beech, R.C.N., commanding officer, Pacific coast, and Capt. R. W. McMurray, manager of the B.C. Coast Service of the Canadian Pacific Railway, will open the local speaking programme of Navy Week, sponsored by the Navy League of Canada, commencing Monday.

Dealing with the activities of the Royal Canadian Navy, Commodore Beech will broadcast at 7:15 next Monday evening over station CJVI. Capt. McMurray, speaking on the work of the merchant navy, will be heard over the same station about 9 Monday evening during the first intermission of the ice hockey game between the Army and Nanaimo.

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To bring to the attention of the general public the great work of the Navy League in the interests of seagoing men, special wind-down posters of striking design, measuring 14 by 11½ inches will be displayed in the principal stores.

The national program also includes the presentation of motion pictures illustrating the work of the navy and merchant marine under war conditions.

The noon communiqué said a Japanese force of eight destroyers apparently planned to aid the ground forces being pinned against the coast.

Observers recalled that in past operations the enemy generally has tried to hold positions rather than attempt naval evacuation when hard-pressed.

A notable exception, however, was the entrance of a similar destroyer squadron into Milne Bay on the southwestern tip of New Guinea last September when, some remnants of their trapped and battered landing forces was taken off at night.

While the jungle fighters pushed cautiously forward against little or no organized resistance outside Buna, Allied airmen hit the enemy hard and often throughout the southwestern Pacific theatre. Troop positions and installations around Buna were bombed.

The airmen also renewed the attacks on Lae and Salamaua, Japanese bases farther to the northwest of the New Guinea coast from which the beleaguered Buna garrison might be reinforced.

Australian-flew American Hudsons struck at Baucau on Timor, far to the northwest, and attack planes made a strafing sweep over Maobisse on the same island. Heavy and medium bombers raided enemy airfields on New Britain, the big fellows smashing at much-bombed Rabaul and the medium taking Gasmata as their target.

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Dorothy Dix:

Man Marrying Second Time Should Wipe Slate Clean

Dear Miss Dix: After a perfect married life as any couple was ever blessed with my wife died, leaving me very lonely. Due to the fact that we were so very congenial we needed no other companion than each other, we had few friends, and now when I feel that I need companionship desperately I do not know how to get into the running.

I am only 41 and I would like to marry again if I could find a suitable mate, a woman who does not care for night clubs, or drinking, or excessive gadding around, but who would be a good wife and companion to me. I am a successful small business man and could give my wife a comfortable home and security.

Do you think that if I married again I would be satisfied with another wife as I was with my first choice? Or do you think I am too old to try another experience with matrimony? And where could I find the kind of a woman I want in this age?

DESPONDENT.

Answer: You are on the sunny side of middle age and I think you would make a great mistake in not marrying again and rebuilding your life, for evidently you are of the domestic type of man and would be bored to death trying to live in clubs and hotels and find companionship among strange men.

But when you try to pick out a second wife, don't make the mistake that so many widowers do of trying to find one who will be a duplicate of your first wife. Don't select No. 2 for the qualities that No. 1 had. Don't expect No. 2 to inspire in you the same emotions that No. 1 did.

Remember that you are 41 now instead of the 20 you were when you married your first wife. There is only one dream to a lifetime, and you will never see any woman through the romantic haze that you saw your first wife, but that need not keep you from giving the honest steadfast, comfortable love of middle age.

SHOULD REPRESENT NATURE JUDGMENT

Many marriages are far happier and more congenial than the first marriages were because the husband had outgrown, often without realizing it, the pretty little sweetums he married, and the second wife represented his mature judgment instead of his youthful fancy.

Don't expect your second wife to cook like your first wife did, or dress the way she did, or have her habits and tastes. Begin a new life. Pick out a woman who interests you, whose judgment

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necessitate their moving to another city. He went, and the young woman appeared to put her threat into execution. She refused food and drink, other than a sip of water now and then, but miraculously seemed to lose no weight. But, alas, one day when she left her bed for a few minutes mother-in-law undertook to straighten it up, when out from between the mattresses dropped enough canned stuff to stock a delicatessen store. So I say phooey on the hunger strikes! They just aren't.

Uncle Ray

Dancing Wife Saved Stage Coach Passenger \$1,500

In old days of stagecoach travel, the highway was a favorite place for robbers to gather. Men would wait for a coach to reach a lonely part of the road, then would rush out and order it to halt.

"Stand and deliver!" came to be a well-known order. The passengers were robbed at pistol point.

People who rob for a living usually have minds of a low order. They fool themselves into



Cavalier highwayman making ready to dance with coach passenger.

thinking they can obtain "easy money," but find there is no peace for them until, perhaps, they go behind the bars of a prison.

Most robbers are dressed rather shabbily, but there was a time when quite a number of well-dressed "Cavaliers" turned into highwaymen in England. They were nicknamed "gentlemen of the road."

When Oliver Cromwell took power, thousands of his enemies, known as Cavaliers, went abroad. Some of them settled in Virginia. Other Cavaliers stayed in England, and it was among these that the "gentlemen of the road" were found.

When stagecoaches came along, the passengers were forced to turn over their money and jewels. At one time a coach containing Cromwell himself was stopped by two highwaymen. One of them raised his pistol and shouted "Oliver Cromwell, prepare to meet thy God!" After speaking the words, he fired, but missed his target. Then soldiers of Cromwell rushed out and captured one of the highwaymen; the other, who had fired the pistol, escaped.

At another time a man carried a sum equal to \$2,000 on a stagecoach. His wife was riding beside him, and she was playing

OUR BOARDING HOUSE, with Major Hoople

EGAD! TWIGGS! WOULD YOU DEEM IT MORE VALOROUS OF ME TO END MY MEAT FASTING AND SEEK A DIGNIFIED POSITION WHERE I COULD BOLSTER THE WAR EFFORT? — THE PAPER SPEAKS OF MANPOWER — BUT THAT WORD SEEMS TO IMPLY MORE PHYSICAL THAN INTELLECTUAL ACTIVITY!



WELL, YOU'RE ALWAYS PLUCKING THE HARP ABOUT GRADUATING CUM LAUDE FROM EVERY KIND OF UNIVERSITY EXCEPT BARBER COLLEGE! LOTS OF TEACHERS ARE BEING DRAFTED — WHY DON'T YOU USE YOUR EDUCATION FOR SOMETHING BESIDES STEIN SONGS?

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OUT OUR WAY

WELL, UH-AH! THAT FOREST RANGER IS SURE THERE'S A DEER HID UNDER THAT LOAD O' WOOD, BUT HE'S TOO LAZY TO UNLOAD IT

WELL, IF IT'S AT TH' BOTTOM, HE'S GOT A HARD TIME MAKING A JUDGE BELIEVE IT WASN'T A CARDBOARD DEER



HEROES ARE MADE -- NOT BORN

By George McManus

Bringing Up Father



Boots and Her Buddies



THAT'S THE HOUSE! I WOULD WATCH! WHEN THEY ARE OUT THERE, WE GET THE BLUE-PANTS OUT OF THE LOUNGE CUP

By Martin

Wash Tubs



BY ROY CRANE

Mr. and Mrs.



By Arthur Folwell and Ellison Hoover

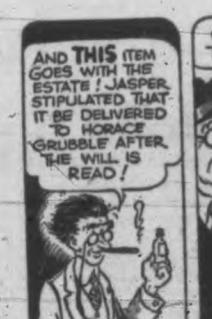
Alley Oop



SO COMES THE SABOTEUR

SABOTAGE!

Freckles and His Friends

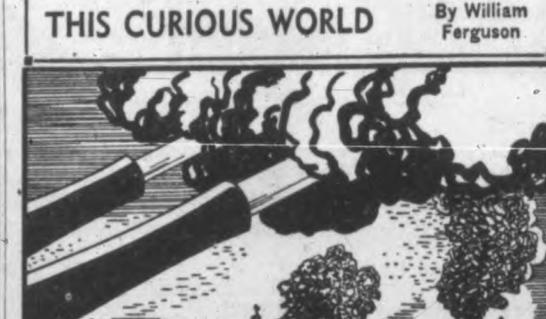


WHAT'S IN THE BOTTLE?

SMELLING SALTS!

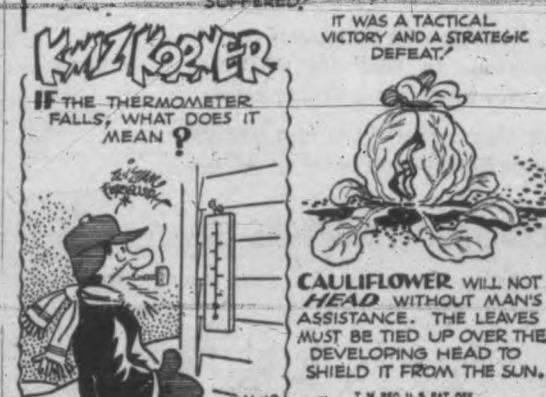
By Merrill Blosser

THIS CURIOUS WORLD



BATTLE OF JUTLAND, GERMANY SUFFERED A GREAT NAVAL DEFEAT ... YET INFlicted GREATER DAMAGE THAN SHE SUFFERED!

IT WAS A TACTICAL VICTORY AND A STRATEGIC DEFEAT.



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ANSWER: It means you will need a new thermometer, but when the temperature falls that's different.

